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STATISTICS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

Population of Metropolitan Area, Estimate, 31st December, 1929, Males, 102,714 ;
Females, 100,174 ; Total, 202,888.

No. 1.—Population of Western Australia (exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals*) from 1920.

Period.	Estimated Population on last day of period.			Increase during period.	Masculinity. ‡	Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.			
1920	176,895	154,428	331,323	3,463	6.78	330,023
1925	199,596	172,587	372,183	8,059	7.26	368,193
1926	203,210	175,536	378,746	6,563	7.31	374,997
1927	211,628	180,664	392,292	13,546	7.80	385,011
1928	220,209	185,664	405,873	13,581	8.51	399,082
1929	225,861	190,902	416,763	10,890	8.39	411,318
January, 1930	225,349	191,070	416,419	† 344	8.23	416,591
February, 1930	225,470	191,350	416,820	401	8.19	416,619
March, 1930	225,601	191,559	417,160	340	8.16	416,990
First Quarter, 1930	225,601	191,559	417,160	397	8.16	416,961

* Estimated Full-blood Aboriginal Population in the State on 30th June, 1929 : 22,898.
Males over Females in each 100 of total population.

† Decrease.

‡ Number of

No. 2.—Arrivals in and Departures* from Western Australia from 1920.

Period.	Arrivals.			Departures.*			Excess of Arrivals over Departures.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1920	18,248	11,682	29,930	18,429	12,799	31,228	† 181	† 1,117	† 1,298
1925	20,358	12,562	32,920	18,156	11,575	29,731	2,202	987	3,189
1926	19,093	11,639	30,732	17,654	11,466	29,120	1,439	173	1,612
1927	22,463	12,812	35,275	16,296	10,522	26,818	6,167	2,290	8,457
1928	22,781	13,258	36,039	16,464	11,058	27,522	6,317	2,200	8,517
1929	19,903	12,944	32,847	16,327	10,751	27,078	3,576	2,193	5,769
January, 1930	1,883	1,247	3,130	2,600	1,398	3,998	† 717	† 151	† 868
February, 1930	1,555	1,095	2,650	1,571	1,073	2,644	† 16	22	6
March, 1930	1,466	1,128	2,594	1,533	1,116	2,649	† 67	12	† 55
First Quarter, 1930	4,904	3,470	8,374	5,704	3,587	9,291	† 800	† 117	† 917

* Including allowance for unrecorded departures.

† Excess of departures over arrivals.

No. 3.—Assisted and Nominated Immigration from 1920.

Period.	Adults (12 years and upwards).			Children under 12 years of age.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1920 a	560	535	1,095	150	119	269	710	654	1,364
1925 a	2,048	1,118	3,166	439	406	845	2,487	1,524	4,011
1926	2,051	1,108	3,159	481	389	870	2,532	1,497	4,029
1927	2,501	1,437	3,938	533	438	971	3,034	1,875	4,909
1928	2,612	1,155	3,767	407	346	753	3,019	1,501	4,520
1929	1,656	905	2,561	247	198	445	1,903	1,103	3,006
1930, First Quarter	162	100	262	25	17	42	187	117	304

a Including Immigrants under the Ex-Service Scheme.

No. 4.—Number of Marriages, Births, and Deaths registered in Western Australia from 1920.

Period.	Marriages Registered.	Births Registered.			Deaths Registered.			Excess of Births over Deaths.	Annual Birth, Death, and Marriage Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population.		
		M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.		Birth Rate.	Death Rate.	Marriage Rate.
1920	2,931	4,256	3,893	8,149	2,161	1,227	3,388	4,761	24.69	10.27	8.88
1925	2,746	4,210	3,975	8,185	2,157	1,158	3,315	4,870	22.23	9.00	7.46
1926	2,844	4,306	3,995	8,301	2,131	1,219	3,350	4,951	22.14	8.93	7.58
1927	3,107	4,366	4,116	8,482	2,115	1,278	3,393	5,088	22.03	8.81	8.07
1928	3,309	4,493	4,211	8,704	2,229	1,411	3,640	5,064	21.81	9.12	8.29
1929	3,367	4,548	4,503	9,051	2,472	1,458	3,930	5,121	22.00	9.55	8.19
January, 1930 ...	276	431	435	866	226	116	342	524	24.48	9.67	7.80
February, 1930 ...	276	340	359	699	203	101	304	395	21.87	9.51	8.64
March, 1930 ...	279	389	342	731	191	145	336	395	20.64	9.48	7.88
First Quarter, 1930 ...	831	1,160	1,136	2,296	620	362	982	1,314	22.33	9.55	8.08

II.—CENSUS OF 1921.

NOTE.—All figures are exclusive of full-blood aboriginals.

No. 5.—Summary of Populations of Local Government Areas in Western Australia on 4th April, 1921.

Local Government Areas.					Population.		
					Males.	Females.	Total.
Municipalities—							
Metropolitan ... ..	...	...	...	...	59,284	64,380	123,664
Other ... ..	...	...	...	...	21,291	21,280	42,571
Total ... ..	...	...	...	...	80,575	85,660	166,235
Road Districts ... ..	...	...	...	...	92,502	68,805	161,307
Migratory † ... ..	...	...	...	...	4,201	989	5,190
Total for the State ... ..	...	...	...	...	177,278	155,454	332,732
Census, 3-4-11 ... ..	...	...	...	...	161,565	120,549	282,114

† Includes Half-Caste Aboriginals, Railway Travellers, and Shipping.

III.—FINANCE.

No. 6.—State Revenue, July, 1929, to March, 1930.

Particulars.	6 Mths. ended 31st Dec., 1929.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	Particulars.	6 Mths. ended 31st Dec., 1929.	Jan.	Feb.	March.
GOVERNMENTAL TAXATION.	£	£	£	£	PUBLIC UTILITIES.	£	£	£	£
Land Tax	67,493	9,337	16,726	27,662	Aborig. Cattle Stn.	518	685	111	80
Income Tax	114,839	8,896	16,293	50,274	Bunbury Harb. Bd.	6,750	...	1,000	500
Dividend Duty	121,117	18,608	67,745	45,673	Electricity Supply	130,513	13,660	23,314	24,249
Totalisator Tax	21,819	13,128	5,990	6,201	Fmtle. Harb. Trust	150,435	26,406	26,406	26,406
Stamp Duty	148,168	19,067	18,395	20,707	Goldf. Wtr. Supply	56,274	16,887	24,746	21,826
Probate Duty	40,518	3,452	6,040	9,033	Kalgoorlie Ab'toirs	1,423	181	432	248
Licenses	36,416	27,792	4,755	1,091	Met. Ab'toirs and Saleyards	22,194	3,636	3,824	3,488
Total	550,370	100,280	135,944	160,641	Met. Wtr. Supply, Sewerage and Drainage	200,572	26,957	59,777	43,292
TERRITORIAL.					Other Hydr. Undertakings	19,102	2,594	5,935	3,526
Land Revenue	152,129	12,261	20,401	87,267	Perth City M'tks.	740	143	119	120
Mining Revenue	5,190	1,214	2,748	1,760	Railways	1,715,022	350,435	356,969	306,605
Timber Revenue	71,407	13,719	9,741	18,707	State Batteries ...	6,243	2,201	1,627	1,463
Total	228,726	27,194	32,890	107,734	Tourist Res'ts, etc.	5,262	2,428	2,131	1,979
Law Courts	29,452	4,409	5,350	5,069	Tramways	172,172	30,971	30,234	27,538
Dept. Re-imbursement Fees, etc.	689,689	50,460	46,477	47,992	Balances transf'd* Recoup. Dept'n'l Charges, Interest, etc. *	17,459	200	1,000	400
Royal Mint	5,524	750	700	609	Total	43,863	170	122	172
COMMONWEALTH.					Total	2,548,542	477,554	537,747	461,892
Under State Grants Act	150,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	GRAND TOTAL	4,202,303	685,647	784,108	808,937
Interest on transferred Properties	...	...	...	...	
Total, Commonwealth ...	150,000	25,000	25,000	25,000					
Total, Governmental ...	1,653,761	208,093	246,361	347,045					

* State Trading Concerns.

No. 7.—State Expenditure, Ju.y, 1929, to March, 1930.

Particulars.	6 Mths. ended 31st Dec., 1929	Jan.	Feb.	March.	Particulars.	6 Mths. ended 31st Dec., 1929.	Jan.	Feb.	March.
ESTABLISHMENTS.	£	£	£	£					
H.E. the Governor	1,102	207	135	171					
Legislative Council	1,225	76	84	90					
Legislative Assembly	1,617	229	178	221					
House Committee ...	2,724	289	402	301					
Printing Committee	2,415	370	361	364					
Library Committee	211	49	8	20					
Total ...	9,294	1,220	1,168	1,167					
<i>Departments, etc.</i>									
Premier's Office ...	8,379	1,029	756	1,224	<i>Special Acts.</i>	£	£	£	£
London Agency ...	5,998	880	938	975	Constitution Act ...	9,685	1,579	1,579	1,752
P.S. Commissioner...	706	118	136	108	Loan Acts ...	1,464,816	251,378	251,253	251,343
Motor Cars ...	5,475	430	412	269	Aborigines ...	10,000	...	...	...
Printing ...	40,854	5,631	5,315	5,494	Annuities ...	125	21	21	21
Tourist and Pub- licity ...	1,056	169	184	133	Auditor General ...	500	83	83	83
Literary and Scien- tific ...	5,545	1,027	1,038	942	Com. of Railways ...	1,000	167	167	167
Centenary ...	11,914	750	200	132	Com'with Pensions	2,165	342	493	335
Treasury ...	10,157	1,641	1,650	1,602	Arbitration ...	1,850	308	308	308
Audit ...	7,371	933	1,118	1,183	Dairy Cattle ...	127	...	48	...
Allowances ...	1,972	179	1,971	1,315	Fire B'gdes Act ...	7,279	...	3,736	...
Stores ...	8,337	1,368	1,520	1,300	Consrvr. of Forests	540	90	90	90
Taxation ...	15,000	2,500	2,500	2,500	Forests Act ...	28,111	5,497	3,492	24,040
Miscellaneous ...	50,896	5,565	4,492	38,722	Judges Pensions ...	425	71	71	71
Council of Industrial Development ...	591	90	128	78	Parliamentary Al- lowances ...	24,205	4,034	4,026	3,983
State Accident In- surance ...	Cr. 37	37	...	...	Pensions and Al- lowances ...	29,883	5,402	5,266	5,275
Forests ...	11,653	1,634	1,657	1,726	P.S. Commissioner	615	96	96	96
Crown Law ...	44,279	7,642	7,508	7,486	Royal Mint ...	9,000	1,600	1,600	1,600
Public Works and Buildings ...	44,849	8,141	13,645	17,545	Tramways Purchase	...	...	...	4,451
Labour ...	6,844	1,236	1,331	922	W.A. University	15,000	2,500	1,875	3,875
Lands and Surveys	36,406	5,758	5,321	5,853	Metro. Town Plan- ning ...	...	...	219	...
Group Settlement	572	351	254	13	Total ...	1,605,326	273,168	274,423	297,490
Immigration ...	3,023	445	452	444					
Chief Secretary ...	7,962	1,419	1,273	1,254	<i>Business Undertakings.</i>				
Aborigines ...	559	2,208	3,726	2,489	Aborigines Cattle Station ...	2,827	451	636	397
Fisheries ...	2,596	533	536	486	Goldfields Water Supply ...	62,054	10,702	10,362	11,893
Friendly Societies and Registry ...	5,312	731	720	996	Kalgoorlie Abat- toirs ...	1,061	434	216	198
Gaols ...	15,431	2,821	2,441	2,453	Met. Abattoirs and Saleyards ...	13,402	2,047	3,616	2,168
Harbour and Light Lunacy ...	12,450	1,977	2,338	1,922	Met. Water Sup- ply, etc. ...	64,206	9,782	9,670	12,171
Observatory ...	52,629	8,154	9,154	8,910	Other Hydraulic Undertakings ...	13,340	2,776	2,599	2,576
Labour Bureau ...	880	137	142	135	Perth City Mkts.	421	42	22	32
Education ...	341,230	50,316	53,952	56,865	Railways ...	1,474,364	254,302	245,019	242,619
Mines ...	51,823	7,616	8,209	7,783	Tramways ...	129,584	23,787	23,701	25,557
Medical ...	86,297	15,417	14,973	16,252	Electricity Supply	101,060	19,344	17,913	17,126
Health ...	18,413	2,544	2,449	3,037	State Batteries ...	12,458	2,589	2,589	2,308
Agriculture ...	39,127	8,351	4,811	8,666	Cave Houses ...	4,592	1,427	1,488	1,334
College of Agricult- ure ...	4,954	938	402	1,157	Total ...	1,879,369	318,683	317,831	318,379
Police ...	118,718	19,626	20,384	18,818	GRAND TOTAL ...	4,647,640	775,857	783,647	850,908
Child Welfare ...	72,412	12,263	12,051	12,548					
Total ...	1,153,651	182,786	190,225	233,872					

No. 8.—State Trading Concerns, July, 1929, to March, 1930.

Name of Concern.	DEBITS.				CREDITS.			
	6 Months, ended 31st Dec., 1929.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	6 Months, ended 31st Dec., 1929.	Jan.	Feb.	March.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brickworks ...	24,905	3,509	3,088	2,837	27,631	3,210	2,249	5,189
Ferries ...	5,167	840	497	1,502	5,083	1,064	907	1,002
Hotels ...	38,563	5,061	7,024	4,500	33,207	8,789	4,583	5,515
Implement and Engin- eering Works ...	75,617	5,984	8,722	8,466	60,383	10,072	20,430	9,760
Quarries (Boya) ...	28,245	2,822	4,189	3,192	19,115	2,452	3,241	3,021
Sawmills ...	408,686	48,065	47,206	50,086	368,016	54,028	47,749	58,721
Shipping Service ...	114,614	13,063	17,672	15,134	73,667	20,013	14,177	20,119
Wyndham Meat Wks.	216,633	22,765	5,608	11,434	262,928	29,503	11,464	4,005
Total ...	912,430	102,109	94,006	97,151	850,030	129,131	104,800	107,332

No. 9.—Summary of State Revenue, 1st July, 1919, to 31st March, 1930.

Period.	Collected by the State.					From Common- wealth Funds.	Total State Revenue.	Mean Popula- tion.	Revenue Per head of Popu- lation.
	Taxation.	Land, Timber, and Mining.	Business Concerns.		Other Sources.				
			Railways and Tramways.	Other.					
	£	£	£		£	£	£	No.	£
1919-20 ...	844,197	408,800	2,463,135	894,407	654,689	598,273	5,863,501	327,152	17·923
1924-25 ...	1,224,030	502,224	3,616,426	1,104,120	1,346,511	588,135	8,381,446	364,322	23·000
1925-26 ...	1,418,050	541,738	3,604,914	1,183,440	1,471,513	588,511	8,808,166	371,577	23·705
1926-27 ...	1,211,343	550,912	3,869,300	1,268,666	1,697,480	1,153,132	9,750,833	379,266	25·709
1927-28 ...	1,206,358	611,121	4,154,737	1,267,142	1,669,530	809,061	9,807,949	392,155	25·010
1928-29 ...	1,370,039	514,483	4,127,939	1,400,343	1,723,701	811,446	9,947,951	405,731	24·519
July, 1929, to March, 1930	947,235	396,544	2,989,946	1,035,789	886,481	225,000	6,480,995	415,170	15·610

No. 10.—Summary of State Expenditure, from 1st July, 1919, to 31st March, 1930.

Period.			Interest and Sink- ing Funds, Public Debt.	Lands, Surveys, Forests, and Mines.	Business Concerns.		Educa- tion.	All other.	Total State Expendi- ture.	Per head of Popu- lation.
					Railways and Tramways.	Other.				
1919-20	...	...	£ 2,062,035	£ 159,893	£ 2,161,201	£ 432,532	£ 427,830	£ 1,288,234	£ 6,531,725	£ 19-965
1924-25	...	...	3,096,564	229,854	2,601,033	506,557	603,964	1,401,872	8,439,844	23-165
1925-26	...	...	3,298,229	254,159	2,764,144	534,666	615,209	1,440,902	8,907,309	23-972
1926-27	...	...	3,295,038	268,524	2,929,485	559,759	668,561	2,001,221	9,722,588	25-634
1927-28	...	...	3,178,984	284,268	3,166,409	577,377	697,686	1,929,691	9,834,415	25-078
1928-29	...	...	3,335,709	269,480	3,357,041	596,995	709,019	1,955,675	10,223,919	25-199
July, 1929, to Mch, 1930			2,218,790	207,389	2,415,885	424,329	525,613	1,266,046	7,058,052	17-000

No. 11.—Public Debt, 1920 to 1929 ; also Indebtedness per head of Estimated Population.

Date.	Amount outstanding.				Average nominal interest payable.	Accrued Sinking Fund on 31st March.	Net Indebtedness (Approximate).	
	Deben- tures.	Inscribed Stock.	Treasury Bills and Bonds, etc.	Total.			Amount.	Per head of Population
30th June— 1920	£ 1,229,455	£ 35,856,576	£ 9,735,972	£ 46,822,003	% 3·90	£ 6,827,878	£ 39,994,125	£ 121·131
1925	1,652,927	47,375,806	11,464,528	64,493,261	4·49	9,985,031	54,508,130	148·109
1926	4,828,815	52,544,658	12,637,448	70,010,921	4·50	10,654,493	59,356,428	158·217
1927	6,489,915	52,059,218	12,107,042	70,606,175	4·52	8,756,936	61,849,239	160·629
1928	6,861,942	57,501,472	12,064,350	76,427,764	4·52	8,899,080	67,528,684	168·948
1929	6,374,025	48,755,628	14,225,796	*69,355,449	4·56	*991,276	68,364,173	168·040
31st Dec., 1929	9,942,805	49,503,745	11,965,856	71,412,406	4·60	991,276	70,421,130	168·851

* Reduction of Public Debt is due to cancellation of Western Australian Stocks held by Sinking Fund Trustees in accordance with Financial Agreement Act. † As on 30th June.

No. 12.—Transactions of Commonwealth Savings Bank in Western Australia from 1st July, 1919.

Period.	* Amount deposited during period.	* Amount withdrawn during period.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Interest.	Number of Accounts.			Due to Depositors at end of period.	Average to credit of each account.	Average per head of population.
					Opened.	Closed.	Remain- ing open.			
1919-20 ...	£ 2,173,634	£ 2,188,335	£ 14,701	£ 37,750	No. 14,169	No. 8,580	No. 47,462	£ 1,473,301	£ 31·042	£ 4·462
1924-1925 ...	2,306,620	2,263,109	43,511	72,970	11,234	6,456	72,739	2,332,647	32·069	6·838
1925-1926 ...	2,522,246	2,319,268	202,978	77,478	12,441	7,198	77,982	2,541,829	32·595	6·775
1926-1927 ...	2,759,595	2,582,342	177,253	83,629	13,341	7,637	83,686	2,728,867	32·608	7·098
1927-1928 ...	2,947,947	2,798,494	149,453	90,099	13,385	7,610	89,461	2,949,438	32·969	7·379
1928-29 ...	3,209,745	3,063,634	146,111	107,383	23,479	17,050	95,890	3,214,231	33·520	7·807
Sept. Qr., 1929	834,263	795,974	38,289	†458	4,547	2,746	97,691	3,256,442	33·334	7·909
Dec. Qr., 1929	821,636	871,771	50,135	†1,229	3,468	2,384	98,775	3,212,631	32·525	7·709

* Exclusive of transfers from and to other States of the Commonwealth, but including interest on accounts stated. † Interest credited for period. ‡ Excess of withdrawals over deposits.

No. 13.—Transactions of the State Savings Bank from 1919.

Period.	Amount deposited.	Amount withdrawn.	Interest.	Number of Accounts.			Due to Depositors.	Average per Account.	*Average per head of population.
				Opened.	Closed.	Remaining open.			
1919-20	£ 6,045,929	£ 5,936,574	£ 176,946	No. 21,445	No. 15,452	No. 131,363	£ 5,739,029	£ 43·688	£ 17·520
1924-25	5,796,113	5,940,535	191,934	23,991	17,515	159,608	5,893,202	38·923	16·225
1925-26	6,312,143	6,061,332	202,700	22,587	15,132	167,063	6,346,713	37·990	17·137
1926-27	7,057,817	6,742,398	219,128	25,072	15,506	176,629	6,881,260	38·959	18·119
1927-28	7,972,142	7,491,095	243,808	29,518	17,184	188,963	7,606,116	40·250	19·254
1928-29	8,932,830	8,526,572	290,551	30,741	19,373	200,331	8,302,925	41·446	20·389
9 months ended 31st March, 1930	6,718,022	6,924,129	†17,003	21,914	14,333	207,912	8,113,821	39·025	19·661

§ SCHOOLS SAVINGS BANK.

1919-20	24,689	19,449	1,046	6,766	3,417	32,690	45,510	1·392	**0·937
1924-25	36,872	35,209	1,992	5,820	4,215	45,354	78,085	1·722	**1·521
1925-26	37,509	36,415	2,104	5,980	4,026	47,308	81,282	1·718	**1·572
1926-27	37,455	36,660	2,192	5,622	4,069	48,861	84,269	1·725	**1·581
1927-28	41,447	38,189	2,293	7,247	4,248	51,800	89,820	1·732	**1·698
1928-29	43,093	43,544	2,666	6,161	4,196	53,825	92,035	1·710	**1·727
9 months ended 31st March, 1930	29,869	33,820	†53	5,283	2,975	56,133	88,137	1·570	**1·611

* Including Schools Savings Bank Deposits.

† Interest on those accounts only which were closed during the period.

§ Worked in connection with State Savings Bank.

** Per head of number of school children on the Roll.

No. 14.—Averages from 1920 of the Weekly Statements of Liabilities and Assets of the Cheque-paying Banks (formerly Banks of Issue) operating in Western Australia.

Weekly average clearance, Perth Banks, during the quarter ended 31st March, 1930, was £2,387,656 as compared with £2,792,065 during March quarter of 1929.

Period.				No. of Banks.	Liabilities.						Total Average Liabilities.	
					Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.				
								Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
1920	...	...	...	£ 8	£ 26,482	£ 99,170	£ 337,983	£ 6,939,459	£ 5,431,361	£ 12,370,820	£ 12,834,455
1925	...	...	...	11	25,296	179,693	398,084	6,953,777	6,646,085	13,599,862	14,202,935
1926	...	...	...	12	25,278	161,844	558,707	6,408,958	8,019,494	14,428,452	15,174,281
1927	...	...	...	10†	25,247	168,475	923,502	6,222,436	8,527,332	14,749,768	15,866,992
1928	...	...	...	10	25,240	198,547	1,229,824	6,721,806	7,953,497	14,675,303	16,128,914
1929	...	...	...	10	25,233	229,901	727,880	6,530,912	6,854,845	13,385,757	14,368,771
1930, First Quarter				...	10	25,209	214,017	602,516	6,285,741	6,760,320	13,046,061	13,887,803

Period.		Assets.								Total Average Assets.
		Coined Gold, Silver, and other metals.	Gold and Silver in Bullion and Bars.	Government, Municipal, and Public Securities.	Landed Property and Bank Premises.	Australian Notes.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and other Debts.	
1920	...	£ 1,230,649	£ 176,710	£ 752,364	£ 225,133	£ 2,235,362	£ 155,786	£ 591,748	£ 10,796,820	£ 16,164,572
1925	...	1,831,641	136,917	863,272	380,282	*2,102,707	234,966	357,287	12,047,609	17,954,681
1926	...	2,362,399	138,195	968,610	416,469	2,135,193	225,979	290,957	13,813,918	20,351,720
1927	...	1,599,784	123,919	2,001,544	477,712	2,277,413	208,594	323,017	15,155,733	22,167,716
1928	...	1,465,906	119,271	1,124,084	452,077	2,584,306	159,052	126,121	15,754,295	21,785,112
1929	...	1,081,072	108,217	815,045	525,340	2,021,457	121,387	110,429	19,382,658	24,165,605
1930, 1st Qr.		707,511	108,093	1,610,140	576,719	1,998,443	127,236	94,843	20,643,770	25,866,755

* From 1925 including cash with Commonwealth Bank.

† New South Wales Bank and Western Australian

Bank amalgamated 29th March, 1927, and the English, Scottish and Australian Bank and the Royal Bank of Australia amalgamated on 1st April, 1927.

IV.—SHIPPING.

No. 15.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels (including Vessels trading only within the State and Vessels calling at more than one Port) entered and cleared at each Western Australian Port during the Six Months ended 31st December, 1929.

ENTERED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Vessels trading within the State.		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.		Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.					
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Fremantle ...	10	17,544	189	955,137	32	108,320	146	773,137	38	64,087	415	1,918,225
Albany ...	...	...	10	71,477	1	440	23	99,364	28	80,707	62	251,988
Broome ...	7	12,932	2	3,436	3	6,843	...	...	15	30,218	27	53,429
Bunbury ...	6	23,620	10	34,705	5	8,753	22	58,932	24	40,654	67	166,664
Bussetton ...	...	...	1	3,242	1	1,820	...	...	18	22,242	20	27,304
Carnarvon ...	10	18,760	...	...	4	9,549	...	...	40	70,508	54	98,817
Cossack ...	9	16,368	...	...	2	4,562	...	...	32	46,933	43	67,863
Derby ...	1	1,800	6	11,132	2	4,562	...	...	16	34,035	25	51,529
Esperance ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	440	7	3,080	8	3,520
Geraldton ...	12	23,115	3	8,219	4	8,530	7	25,238	28	52,858	54	117,960
Onslow ...	8	15,802	...	...	3	7,268	...	...	26	49,627	37	72,697
Port Hedland ...	8	14,568	1	2,706	3	6,843	...	...	15	26,249	27	50,366
Wyndham ...	...	...	2	3,250	1	5,052	6	19,935	4	9,549	13	37,786

CLEARED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Vessels trading within the State.		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		For Ports outside the State.		Via Ports within the State.		For Ports outside the State.					
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Fremantle ...	21	50,310	158	834,751	31	96,029	156	846,209	38	67,379	404	1,894,678
Albany ...	1	7,904	7	31,362	...	...	28	143,868	26	68,854	62	251,988
Broome ...	4	7,256	5	9,373	3	6,843	1	16	14	27,937	27	51,425
Bunbury ...	5	21,067	28	87,647	10	16,444	8	16,361	14	16,199	65	157,718
Bussetton ...	2	5,287	...	...	6	10,080	6	9,297	6	2,640	20	27,304
Carnarvon ...	9	16,368	3	6,309	3	7,268	...	...	39	68,872	54	98,817
Cossack ...	9	17,013	...	...	3	6,843	...	...	30	49,951	42	67,807
Derby ...	...	...	4	7,256	3	6,843	...	...	18	37,430	25	51,529
Esperance ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	440	7	3,080	8	3,520
Geraldton ...	18	44,007	2	4,355	3	6,843	...	...	25	41,394	48	96,599
Onslow ...	7	12,932	...	...	4	9,549	...	...	26	50,216	37	72,697
Port Hedland ...	8	14,568	...	...	3	6,843	...	...	16	28,955	27	50,366
Wyndham ...	...	...	5	18,688	...	...	3	6,843	5	12,255	13	37,786

No. 16.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels entered and cleared at Western Australian Ports, from and to Ports outside the State, during the undermentioned Periods.

Year.	Inwards.		Outwards.		Inwards and Outwards.	
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
1919-20 ...	730	2,660,040	729	2,659,302	1,459	5,319,342
1924-25 ...	807	3,666,226	805	3,657,529	1,612	7,323,755
1925-26 ...	684	3,268,883	685	3,256,132	1,369	6,525,015
1926-27 ...	796	3,763,957	799	3,796,564	1,595	7,560,521
1927-28 ...	792	3,795,310	812	3,806,078	1,604	7,601,388
1928-29 ...	783	3,688,802	808	3,674,298	1,591	7,363,100
Six months ended 31st December, 1929.	429	2,070,350	415	2,022,739	844	4,093,089

V.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE COLLECTIONS.

No. 17.—Gross Customs, Excise, and other Collections in Western Australia during the undermentioned Periods.

Stations.	Year ended 30th June, 1929.				Nine months ended 31st March, 1930.			
	Customs.	Excise.	Other.	Total.	Customs.	Excise.	Other.	Total.
Fremantle ...	£ 1,854,087	£ 694,769	£ 71,049	£ 2,619,905	£ 1,572,066	£ 575,462	£ 56,695	£ 2,204,223
Perth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Albany ...	8,154	5,174	5,038	18,366	6,753	4,129	4,085	14,967
Broome ...	6,176	...	231	6,407	6,751	...	257	7,008
Bunbury ...	6,154	34	1,728	7,916	4,172	...	979	5,151
Bussetton ...	155	...	100	255	219	...	146	365
Carnarvon ...	3,395	...	133	3,528	2,886	...	100	2,986
Derby ...	348	...	28	376	197	...	35	232
Esperance ...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2
Geraldton ...	11,725	15,384	2,887	29,996	29,952	16,007	918	46,877
Onslow ...	973	...	53	1,026	1,326	17	47	1,390
Port Hedland ...	1,988	...	47	2,035	1,532	...	28	1,560
Roebourne ...	1,009	...	112	1,121	998	2	108	1,108
Wyndham ...	8	...	4	12	68	...	74	142
Other ...	...	...	3,187	3,187	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,894,172	715,361	84,599	2,694,132	1,626,920	595,617	63,474	2,286,011

VI.—TRADE.

No. 18.—Value of Imports into Western Australia during the undermentioned periods, showing origin, and value per head of mean population.

Country of Origin.	1919-20.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Great Britain	2,884,605	4,204,487	3,915,891	4,265,675	4,079,340	4,054,350
Other States of Commonwealth	5,796,651	7,105,929	7,644,962	8,053,194	8,393,412	9,766,744
New Zealand	20,497	39,792	42,666	28,378	81,156	36,089
Other British Possessions ...	1,082,083	1,159,747	1,278,257	1,662,605	1,713,450	1,833,831
Total, British	9,783,836	12,509,955	12,881,776	14,009,852	14,267,358	15,691,014
Foreign Countries	2,584,495	3,564,080	3,580,796	4,366,211	4,020,275	4,362,758
Grand Total	12,368,331	16,074,035	16,462,572	18,376,063	18,287,633	20,053,772
Value of Imports per head of Mean Population	37.806	44.120	44.305	48.450	46.633	49.427*

* Revised since last Issue.

No. 19.—Value of Exports from Western Australia during the undermentioned periods, showing destination and value per head of mean population.

Exports to.	1919-20.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Great Britain	6,669,269	5,368,479	5,217,871	4,514,965	6,020,838	4,518,283
Other States of Commonwealth	1,196,173	1,311,638	1,438,122	1,405,086	1,337,000	1,205,493
New Zealand	27,036	100,809	116,092	135,215	50,773	135,765
Other British Possessions ...	5,224,442	1,729,289	3,155,708	2,873,728	3,343,376	4,704,894
Total, British	13,116,920	8,510,265	9,927,793	8,928,994	10,751,987	10,564,435
Foreign Countries	2,538,350	5,660,921	4,121,960	5,544,014	6,837,692	5,942,365
Ships' Stores	413,520	493,362	531,904	678,951	651,096	679,154
Grand Total	16,068,790	14,664,548	14,581,657	15,151,959	18,240,775	17,185,954
Value of Exports per head of Mean Population	49.117	40.252	39.243	39.949	46.514	42.358

No. 20.—Total Value of Imports into, and Exports from, the State of Western Australia, from and to the other States of the Commonwealth during the undermentioned periods.

Origin.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Northern Territory.	Total.
IMPORTS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1929.							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian	3,870,962	4,224,962	284,853	1,204,476	136,680	44,811	9,766,744
Oversea	430,472	295,966	2,197	102,671	1,253	1,292	833,851
Total	4,301,434	4,520,928	287,050	1,307,147	137,933	46,103	10,600,595
EXPORTS*—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1929.							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
West Australian	274,290	357,961	16,620	226,487	6,953	15,826	897,837
Other Australian	33,496	64,682	3,555	29,877	175	12,953	144,738
Oversea	41,722	72,702	2,881	40,789	119	4,615	162,918
Total	349,508	495,435	23,056	297,153	6,947	33,394	1,205,493
IMPORTS—NINE MONTHS ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1930.							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian	2,764,022	3,072,369	562,384	702,397	111,247	24	7,212,443
Oversea	258,193	192,284	2,540	45,031	1,070	2	499,120
Total	3,022,215	3,264,653	564,924	747,428	112,317	26	7,711,563
EXPORTS*—NINE MONTHS ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1930.							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
West Australian	210,111	226,310	15,133	167,315	3,787	1,312	623,968
Other Australian	33,920	60,635	2,345	28,139	593	4,068	129,700
Oversea	28,985	51,515	6,441	20,998	411	1,743	110,993
Total	273,016	338,460	23,919	216,452	4,791	7,123	863,761

* Exclusive of Shlp's Stores.

No. 21.—Value of Imports into Western Australia during 1919-20 and each of the Five Years ended 30th June, 1925 to 1929, distinguishing the more important articles or groups of articles.

Articles.	1919-20.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Gold and Bullion	9,404	13,891	57,924	27,085	476	798
Meat and Fish (fresh and preserved)	180,374	381,720	225,917	262,566	242,974	341,679
Spirits, Beer, and Wine	268,267	288,865	268,499	277,661	282,708	280,718
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	588,765	631,901	709,636	672,741	714,596	829,600
Live Cattle, Sheep, Horses, and Pigs	106,482	314,654	243,450	272,900	262,269	282,862
Bacon, Hams, Butter, Cheese, Eggs, and Tinned Milk	884,221	1,018,945	1,113,810	1,011,445	1,105,223	1,207,390
Sugar	438,161	584,581	604,444	598,907	608,483	652,390
Wearing Apparel, Drapery, Piece Goods, Hats and Bonnets, Blankets, Boots and Shoes, Sewing Silks and Cottons	3,222,301	3,279,939	3,227,334	3,848,875	4,038,732	4,007,107
Timber, Cement, and Furniture	333,762	211,722	177,029	194,218	234,514	298,829
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives	166,060	193,584	122,555	158,328	115,854	126,515
Oils	351,754	875,297	1,018,690	1,340,577	1,131,221	1,181,583
Rubber Goods	62,199	289,543	433,759	392,196	467,432	563,008
Machines, Machinery, Pumps, Apparatus for raising water, and Tools	614,380	1,560,721	1,639,254	1,984,094	2,099,204	2,066,855
Iron, Steel, Ironmongery, Metal and Metalware, Cutlery, Hardware, Nails, Screws, etc.	1,130,027	1,431,716	1,434,075	1,551,516	1,534,669	764,824
Vehicles and Parts	244,878	1,084,768	1,201,667	1,248,614	1,165,047	1,390,802
Wheat, Flour, Oats, Oatmeal, Malt, Bran and Pollard, Potatoes and Onions	203,580	149,077	178,349	150,651	100,265	114,131
Jams, Jellies, and Fruits	348,481	268,347	247,695	336,046	261,469	318,202
Tea	312,547	291,191	298,250	313,988	307,039	327,707
Coal and Coke	216,953	137,696	138,179	104,806	81,694	89,053
Paper, Books, and Stationery	359,442	395,310	398,185	422,157	441,694	522,235
Cyanide	45,103	25,475	42,467	31,102	28,282	32,057
Jewellery, Clocks and Watches, and Fancy Goods	123,094	136,696	150,455	173,250	164,722	211,852
Drugs, Chemicals, (including Fertilisers) and Medicines	*238,267	404,193	406,013	486,531	482,117	716,724
All other Articles	1,919,729	2,101,203	2,124,936	2,416,292	2,410,292	3,717,851
Total	12,368,331	16,074,035	16,462,572	18,376,876	18,287,876	20,053,772

* Exclusive of fertilisers.

No. 22.—Value of the more important Products of Western Australian Origin exported, including Ships' Stores, and of the total Exports; also the total Production of Coal; during 1919-20, and each of the Five Years ended 30th June, 1925 to 1929, and after.

Articles.	1919-20.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.	July, 1929 to March, 1930.
Gold-Specie	£ 63,172,225	£ 516,140	852,930	735,663	595,494	1,233,476	3,400,803
†Gold, Uncolned	£ 276,603	£ 171,689	207,350	367,429	75,287	51,938	9,218
Wool ... { Quantity	59,600,535	35,015,746	49,689,088	53,787,555	61,244,631	57,046,934	48,838,536
... { Value	£ 3,937,106	£ 3,736,300	£ 3,527,865	£ 3,518,313	£ 4,962,916	£ 3,910,886	£ 2,272,927
Timber	£ 465,734	£ 1,477,997	£ 1,522,958	£ 1,658,018	£ 1,265,321	£ 960,435	£ 671,406
Hides and Skins	£ 623,029	£ 477,437	£ 461,303	£ 376,004	£ 553,144	£ 550,324	£ 297,616
Pearls and Shell	£ 431,825	£ 285,562	£ 289,433	£ 255,751	£ 186,132	£ 183,785	£ 175,560
Sandalwood	£ 240,579	£ 186,775	£ 238,203	£ 199,754	£ 147,426	£ 225,208	£ 141,229
Tanning Bark	£ 22,121	£ 40,136	£ 15,056	£ 15,818	£ 27,662	£ 35,850	£ 34,764
Copper (Ingot, Ore, and Matte)	£ 13,783	£ 31,804	£ 2,659	£ 73	£ 391	£ 1,264	£ 1,945
Tin, Dressed and Ingot	£ 64,401	£ 14,635	£ 11,740	£ 13,987	£ 12,193	£ 14,889	£ 13,021
Silver—Bar, Ingot, etc.	£ 47,706	£ 12,277	£ 10,773	£ 6,840	£ 5,871	£ 4,911	£ 3,848
Silver Lead and Lead—Ore, Concentrates, and Pig	£ 85,871	£ 93,310	£ 92,849	£ 54,755	£ 3,928	£ 5,315	£ 8,528
Wheat ... { Quantity ... Cental	5,490,675	8,991,572	7,904,807	9,797,801	15,716,224	15,654,659	10,894,287
... { Value	£ 2,541,698	£ 5,158,020	£ 4,186,714	£ 4,607,095	£ 6,994,528	£ 6,692,046	£ 4,564,256
Flour ... { Quantity ... Cental	2,598,815	1,508,132	1,841,942	1,866,580	1,707,953	1,597,294	968,366
... { Value	£ 2,526,620	£ 969,501	£ 1,294,311	£ 1,161,324	£ 1,008,168	£ 892,323	£ 555,029
Mutton and Lamb ... { Quantity ... lb.	...	...	...	...	227,261	...	...
... { Value ... ..	...	...	...	...	£ 7,675	...	...
Beef ... { Quantity ... lb.	661,965	7,106,375	8,118,705	6,697,052	11,026,131	9,313,392	8,286,756
... { Value	£ 16,431	£ 99,052	£ 120,117	£ 99,025	£ 196,082	£ 112,765	£ 95,595
Meat in tins ... { Quantity ... lb.	1,488,489	...	£ 347,586	£ 446,251	£ 701,034	£ 419,262	£ 269,602
... { Value	£ 95,637	...	£ 9,273	£ 11,268	£ 14,079	£ 10,344	£ 6,699
Fruit, fresh ... { Quantity ... Cental	86,097	164,975	£ 148,548	£ 244,901	£ 115,436	£ 360,719	£ 59,857
... { Value	£ 150,087	£ 246,535	£ 232,149	£ 334,272	£ 191,915	£ 533,354	£ 75,137
All other Articles	£ 1,357,334	£ 1,148,378	£ 1,505,974	£ 1,676,570	£ 2,052,563	£ 1,766,846	£ 1,231,797
Total Exports	£ 16,068,790	£ 14,664,548	£ 14,581,657	£ 15,151,959	£ 18,240,775	£ 17,185,954	£ 13,435,278
Colliery Coal ... { Mined ... Tons	429,833	440,482	438,137	492,134	514,797	531,267	416,227
... { Value	£ 311,731	£ 371,152	£ 364,304	£ 405,770	£ 414,451	£ 415,926	£ 327,697
... { Bunkered a ... Tons	66,995	45,231	34,032	49,761	29,174	32,941	29,538

* For TOTAL PRODUCTION OF GOLD see Table No. 31, p. 23. c. Average value of sovereign during 1919-20, £1-2884; 1924-25, £1-0670. d. Average value of fine ounce during the year 1919-20; £5-4727, 1924-25; £4-5323. e. Included in coal production.

No. 23.—Wool Exported from the several Western Australian Ports.

Year ended 30th June, 1929.

Ports.	Oversea.				Interstate.				Total.			
	Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.	
	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.
Fremantle	156,399	49,125,056	3,677	841,522	2,031	795,932	...	...	158,430	49,920,988	3,677	841,522
Albany	390	115,649	4	819	...	...	...	...	390	115,649	4	819
Broome	35	13,039	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	13,039	...	...
Bunbury ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon	5,641	1,792,678	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,641	1,792,678	...	...
Derby	101	34,823	7	2,316	...	...	...	...	101	34,823	7	2,316
Geraldton	5,821	2,021,086	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,821	2,021,086	...	...
Onslow	1,489	584,442	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,489	584,442	...	...
Port Hedland	4,167	1,594,233	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,167	1,594,233	...	...
Roebourne	374	125,339	...	...	...	...	...	...	374	125,339	...	...
Total ... { Quantity	174,417	55,406,345	3,688	844,657	2,031	795,932	...	...	176,448	56,202,277	3,688	844,657
Value £	3,777,643		103,447		29,796		...		3,807,439		103,447	

Nine months ended 31st March, 1930.

Fremantle	125,360	39,642,600	2,716	625,368	1,231	516,146	...	...	126,591	40,158,746	2,716	625,368
Albany	1,014	318,720	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,014	318,720	...	...
Broome	25	8,567	10	2,461	...	...	...	...	25	8,567	10	2,461
Bunbury ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon	7,514	2,873,916	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,514	2,873,916	...	...
Derby ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Geraldton	8,541	2,982,774	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,541	2,982,774	...	...
Onslow ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Hedland	3,926	1,494,860	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,926	1,494,860	...	...
Roebourne	1,070	373,124	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,070	373,124	...	...
Total { Quantity	147,450	47,694,561	2,726	627,829	1,231	516,146	...	...	148,681	48,210,707	2,726	627,829
Value £	2,214,705		48,037		10,185		...		2,224,890		48,037	

No. 24.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine months ended 31st March, 1930.

Articles.	OVERSEA.				INTERSTATE.						Total.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.			Value.				
	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	West Australian Origin.	Other Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	West Australian Origin.	Other Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Quantity.	Value.
I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN.												
Butter	56	...	£ 6	£	26,520	916	...	£ 2,219	£ 99	£	27,492	£ 2,324
Butter Substitutes .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheese .....	...	...	...	...	...	2,462	180	...	137	22	2,642	159
Eggs in Shell	174,690	...	10,048	...	30	...	...	3	...	...	174,720	10,051
„ Pulp .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fish, all kinds .....	...	...	932	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honey	50	...	2	...	81	...	...	8	...	118	...	1,060
Meats—Bacon and Ham .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	131	5
Preserved by Cold Process—	...	...	...	...	...	332	...	...	29	...	332	29
Beef	8,280,036	...	98,275	...	6,720	...	...	320	...	...	8,286,756	98,595
Game .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lamb and Mutton .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pork .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poultry .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rabbits and Hares .....	...	...	...	...	560	...	...	25	...	...	560	25
Potted, Concentrated, etc. .....	...	...	3,815	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	...	...
Preserved in tins	158,960	...	3,171	...	103,932	120	...	3,210	5	...	163,012	3,940
Other .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,386
Sausage Casings .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Milk and Cream, in Powdered Form	239	...	1,659	...	443	...	1	3,327	...	11	683	4,997
„ „ Condensed .....	...	...	...	...	...	408	...	...	22	...	408	22
„ „ „ .....	...	...	...	...	...	4,986	...	...	223	...	4,986	223
II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN, INCLUDING BEVERAGES NON-ALCOHOLIC.												
Biscuits	170	...	4	...	44,179	144	...	2,473	8	...	44,493	2,485
Confectionery	15	...	2	...	313,014	13,345	3,048	16,106	1,348	267	329,422	17,723
Hay and Chaff	14,491	...	4,859	...	11,462	...	...	3,530	...	...	25,953	8,389
Oilcake, including Linseed Cake	190,680	...	4,725	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	190,680	4,725
Fruits, Dried—Currants .....	...	...	...	...	240,948	224	...	5,214	7	...	241,172	5,221
Dates .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raisins	3,640	...	150	...	186,801	336	...	2,436	13	...	190,777	2,599
Other .....	...	...	...	...	112	1,232	...	4	28	...	1,344	32
Fresh—Apples	32,964	...	31,976	...	10,690	...	...	14,946	...	...	43,654	46,922
Bananas .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Citrus	578	...	995	...	1,505	...	...	2,141	...	...	2,083	3,136
Other	10,341	...	16,449	...	1,800	...	...	4,490	...	...	12,141	20,939
Preserved in Liquid .....	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Grain and Pulse—Barley	57	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	35
Beans and Peas	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Maize	1,044	...	462	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,044	462
Oats	10,436	...	4,766	...	1,224	...	...	476	...	...	11,660	5,242
Wheat	10,894,127	...	4,564,162	...	160	...	...	94	...	...	10,894,287	4,564,256
Other, Unprepared	202	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	202	50
Bran and Pollard	4,828	...	2,105	...	30	...	...	28	...	...	4,858	2,133
Flour	965,020	...	552,962	...	63	...	...	42	...	...	965,083	553,004
Malt .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oatmeal and Wheatmeal .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Rice	entl.	...	...	...	...	...	329	...	...	...	387	...	329	38 7
Other, Prepared	lb.	14	3	22	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	2 8
Hops ... ..	...	336	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	336	3 0
Jams and Jellies ... ..	...	216	...	6	...	288	2,142	...	12	58	...	2,646	76	...
Pickles and Sauces ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	...	...	41	...
Sugar	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	280	...	...	484	...	...	280	484
Onions ... ..	...	...	...	40	...	933	...	50	...	27	...	...	973	77
Potatoes ... ..	...	90	...	25	...	97,625	784	...	74,981	4	...	98,499	75,010	...
Vegetables, Preserved in Liquid ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...
Vinegar	gal.	...	...	...	...	...	116	...	...	17	...	...	116	17
Aerated and Mineral Waters ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cocoa and Chocolate	lb.	...	...	...	...	9,800	...	4,468	216	...	130	14,268	346	...
Coffee and Chicory ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	530	...	60	...	46	11	590	57	...
Limejuice and other Fruit Juices	gal.	...	...	...	...	25,264	180	...	4,642	69	...	25,444	4,711	...
Tea	lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,414	...	...	258	2,414	258	...

III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.

Ale and Beer in Bottle	gal.	...	22	...	4	156	...	...	49	...	...	178	53	...
" Bulk ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	300	...	...	60	...	...	300	60	...
Brandy ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	560	...	...	716	560	716	...
Gin, etc. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	10	20	...	22	29	30	51	...	...
Liqueurs and Bitters ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rum ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whisky ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	113	60	113	...
Wine, Sparkling ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Other ... ..	...	2	...	3	...	1,520	24	...	552	43	...	1,546	598	...

IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.

Tobacco, Manufactured	lb.	...	...	...	...	76,336	353	...	38,165	141	...	76,689	38,306	...
" Unmanufactured ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	756	...	...	50	...	...	756	50	...
Cigars ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	3,022	...	90	3,022	...	150	3,112	3,172	...
Cigarettes ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	7,706	178	261	7,280	113	119	8,145	7,512	...

V.—LIVE ANIMALS.

Cattle	No.	5	...	88	...	27	...	...	255	...	...	32	343	...
Horses ... ..	...	2	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	500	...
Pigs ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sheep ... ..	...	28,694	...	20,923	...	50	21	...	48	500	...	28,665	21,471	...
Other ... ..	...	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	138	...	...	...	203	...

VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES NOT FOODSTUFFS.

Beche-de-Mer	cwt.	213	...	589	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	213	589	...
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns ... ..	...	...	...	907	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	907	...
Hides and Skins—Hides	No.	23,171	...	24,594	...	14,110	...	...	6,043	...	...	37,281	30,637	...
" Rabbit and Hare	lb.	61,226	...	5,646	...	63,209	...	...	8,556	...	...	124,435	14,202	...
" Sheep	No.	639,735	...	177,102	...	68,900	...	...	22,243	...	...	708,635	199,345	...
" Other ... ..	...	...	...	17,997	...	...	...	...	35,435	...	...	...	53,432	...
Pearlshell	cwt.	19,045	...	164,227	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,045	164,227	...
Tortoiseshell	lb.	126	...	73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	126	73	...
Trochus Shell	cwt.	78	...	220	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	220	...
Wool—Greasy	lb.	47,694,561	147,450	2,214,705	...	516,146	1,231	10,185	...	...	...	48,211,938	2,224,890	...
" Scoured ... ..	...	627,830	(Bales)	2,826	48,037	...	...	...	...	...	...	627,830	48,037	...

VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.

Bark, Tanning	cwt.	45,968	...	23,577	...	20,044	...	...	11,187	...	...	66,012	34,764	...
Extracts, Tanning ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	105	...	...	...	105	...
Copra	cwt.	4,581	...	3,972	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,581	3,972	...
Plants, Trees, and Bulbs ... ..	...	...	...	35	...	...	...	...	90	...	...	...	125	...
Sandalwood	cwt.	10,982	...	14,129	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,982	14,129	...
Starch	lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

No. 24.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine months ended 31st March, 1930—continued.

Articles.	OVERSEA.				INTERSTATE.						Total.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.			Value.			Quantity	Value.
	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	West Australian Origin.	Other Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	West Australian Origin.	Other Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.		
VIII.—APPAREL, TEXTILES, ETC.												
Apparel and Soft Goods	...	...	£ 70	£ 78	...	...	...	£ 17,745	£ 59,851	£ 12,916	...	£ 90,660
Boots and Shoes	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	11,237	2,974	46	...	14,262
Hats and Caps	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	554	774	...	1,368
Umbrellas and Parasols	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	102	...	...	110
Jute Goods	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	97	737	...	846
Cordage and Twine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	56	...	67
IX.—OILS, FATS, AND WAXES.												
Lard, Lard Oil, and Refined Fats	lb.	13,825	...	250	...	1,200	...	...	59	...	15,025	309
Oils in vessels up to one gallon	...	...	...	72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72
" in Bulk—Castor	gal.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cocoanut	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cotton Seed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Essential	...	...	51,271	...	...	...	...	5,313	...	...	...	56,584
Cod, Seal, and Whale	gal.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kerosene	...	...	...	...	...	120	...	...	9	...	120	9
Olive	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other	...	...	...	152	...	...	...	...	51	1,396	...	1,599
Turpentine	gal.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shale, Kerosene	ton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stearine	lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tallow	cwt.	6,515	...	11,526	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,515	11,526
Wax—Beeswax	lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paraffin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,680	36	1,680	36
Other	...	5	...	109	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	109
X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES.												
Paints and Varnishes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	273	55	...	328
XI.—STONE AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.												
Coal	ton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coke	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Concentrates—Copper	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver and Silver-Lead	...	8,805	...	6,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,805	6,600
Tin	...	11	...	67	...	422	...	5,250	...	...	433	5,317
Zinc	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other	...	74	...	48	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	48
Gold, Uncoined	...	...	...	1,739	...	...	...	7,479	...	...	...	9,218
Ores, Clays, exclusive of Gold—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alunite	cwt.	767	...	194	...	...	...	...	...	...	767	194
Antimony
Bismuth
Copper	...	1,797	...	1,800	...	115	...	145	1,912	1,945
Manganese	...	1,606	...	230	1,606	230

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XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY

Machines and Machinery, except Agricultural	329	4,348	533	10,852	11,056	...	27,718
Implements, Machinery, Agricultural, Horticultural, Viticultural ...	...	...	...	...	116	...	...	...	20	2,426	14,484	...	17,046
Metals—Manufactures of ...	...	...	...	2,150	1,474	...	...	...	24,741	8,565	9,425	...	46,355
Copper—Bar, Rod, Ingot, Sheet, Plates, Pipes, Tubes ...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	70	...	...	19	70
Iron and Steel—Pig, Ingot, Bar, Rod, etc. ...	"	161,900	14	13,762	16	20,921	6	371	668	11	392	183,212	14,849
" " Plate and Sheet, including Galvanised and Corrugated ...	"	...	...	...	...	...	823	280	...	620	352	1,103	972
" " Structural ...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	444	...	447
Lamps and Lampware ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lead—Pig or contained in Matte Sheet and Pipe ...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Quicksilver ...	lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Railway Material ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin Ingots ...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tools of Trade ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vehicles—Bicycles, etc. ...	...	...	...	...	1,376	...	...	...	3	296	209	...	508
" Other and Parts ...	...	...	...	...	4,350	...	...	...	121	2,995	1,349	...	2,732
" Aircraft Parts and Fittings ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28,388	...	35,854
Zinc—Circles and Ingots ...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	1,654	251	...	647	141	...	1,905	788
" Sheets and Shavings ...	"	...	...	...	...	70	10	5	226	35	17	85	278

XIII.—RUBBER, LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.

Rubber Goods	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	...	...	4,510	454	...	4,990
Belting, all kinds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	56	...	...	117
Leather	...	...	...	...	...	7,272	...	...	...	21,917	1,182	...	...	30,371
Manufactures	...	...	...	...	...	67	...	...	...	702	263	4	...	1,036

XIV.—WOOD, WICKER, CANE.

Furniture	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	32	1,483	277	...	1,799
Timber	...	...	...	sup. ft.	48,639,784	20,172	495,108	224	17,100,144	11,280	176,298	282	65,771,380	671,912
Wicker, Cane, Bamboo Manufactures	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wood—Articles made of	...	...	...	...	...	22	2	...	...	...	352	3,608	35	4,019

XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENT, CHINA, GLASS.

Cement, Portland	...	...	...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Earthenware, China, etc.	70	10,327	1,407	764	12,568
Glass and Glassware	10	88	579	356	1,033

XVI.—PAPER, STATIONERY.

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No. 24.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine months ended 31st March, 1930—continued.

Articles.	OVERSEA.				INTERSTATE.						Total.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.	Value.
	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	West Australian Origin.	Other Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	West Australian Origin.	Other Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.		
XVII.—JRWELIERY, TIMEPIECES, FANCY GOODS.												
Fancy Goods	£ 17	£ 12	...	...	...	£ 301	£ 4,397	£ 1,040	...	£ 5,767
Jewellery	11,333	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,336
Clocks and Watches
XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL, AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.												
Photographic Goods and Materials	428	65	...	493
Instruments, other than Musical	25	348	...	...	...	...	1,546	3,875	...	5,794
XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILISERS.												
Drugs, N.E.I.	14	40	...	...	...	2,322	1,063	782	...	4,221
Acid, Tartaric
Cream of Tartar	22	336	22
Manures—Ammonium Sulphate	336	...	...	...	...	...
Sodium Nitrate
Other, N.E.I.
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	4	29	...	...	...	...	3	2	3	2
Salt, Rock	10	...	4	...	...	...	...	2,084	397	1,055	...	3,569
" N.E.I.	8	...	...	2	...	10	4
XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.												
Arms, Ammunition, Explosives	1,360	2,837	...	4,197
Bags, Baskets, Boxes	4	...	...	...	...	10	20	...	34
Blue, Laundry
Boats, Launches, and Yachts	32	...	...	...	32
Brushware	7,616	28	85	...	7,729
Musical Instruments—Pianos	200	...	...	8	...	...	997	9	1,197
Other	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	422	500	...	922
Matches and Vestas	...	gr. bxs.	...	...	...	1,061	...	...	456	...	1,061	456
Oilmen's Stores	3	...	...	...	...	727	1,352	619	...	2,701
Personal and Household Effects	1,912	6,146	...	...	...	20,696	3,366	25	...	32,145
Pitch, Tar, and Bitumen
Soap	10	119	...	185,274	2,793
All other Articles	182,950	...	2,664	540	672	1,652	...	10,001	2,516	9,691	...	25,986
XXI.—GOLD, SILVER, AND BRONZE.												
Specie—Gold	3,400,803	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,400,803
Silver	2,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,600
Bronze
Silver—Bar, Rod, Matte	47,958·80	18,565·17	4,815·45	3,848	1,959	435	71,339·42	6,242
Total*	12,056,589	19,904	...	...	...	623,968	129,700	110,093	...	...
£12,076,493												
£863,761												
12,940,254												

* Exclusive of Ship's Stores.

No. 25.—Exports, being Ships' Stores, during the Nine Months ended 31st March, 1930.

Articles.	OVERSEA.				INTERSTATE.				Total.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.	Value.
	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.	Aus- tralian Pro- duce.	Over- sea Pro- duce.		
Ale, Beer, Porter, etc. ... gal.	572	80	£ 99	£ 21	83	...	£ 17	£ ...	735	£ 137
Apparel ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Biscuits	1,410	30	27	3	236	...	12	...	1,676	42
Brushware ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Butter	15,214	240	1,526	21	1,419	...	140	...	16,873	1,687
Cheese	3,093	...	183	...	243	...	12	...	3,336	195
Coal (Bunker)	39,730	...	77,039	...	...	...	...	...	39,730	77,039
Coffee, Cocoa, Chocolate	34	1,087	4	82	...	...	...	...	1,121	86
Cordage and Twine ... ..	...	...	...	216	...	...	...	...	...	216
Fish—Fresh	65,589	...	2,876	...	5,191	...	264	...	70,780	3,140
Fish—Preserved	742	1,540	41	107	...	...	...	...	2,282	148
Fruits—Preserved	2,118	...	91	...	140	...	5	...	2,258	96
Fruits—Fresh	1,979	...	4,140	...	222	...	407	...	2,201	4,547
Fruits and Vegetables (in liquid, etc.) ... ..	...	...	17	...	...	...	6	...	...	23
Vegetables, Dried or Concentrated ... ..	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
Vegetables, Fresh ... ..	...	...	6,747	...	...	...	901	...	...	7,648
Grain and Pulse—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beans and Peas ... cntl.	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Oats	37	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	37	16
Wheat ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barley, Pearl and Scotch	497	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	497	7
Bran, etc.	36	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	36	14
Flour, Wheaten	3,281	...	2,024	...	2	...	1	...	3,283	2,025
Rice	1	79	1	94	1	...	1	...	81	96
Hay and Chaff	483	...	171	...	...	...	...	...	483	171
Jams and Jellies ... lb.	4,104	...	135	...	92	...	4	...	4,196	139
Meats—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bacon and Hams, etc. "	13,449	...	795	...	1,029	...	65	...	14,478	860
Fresh and Smoked ... "	70,733	...	2,958	...	47,828	...	1,394	...	118,561	4,352
Frozen (other than Rab- bits and Hares) ... "	300,347	...	9,217	...	...	...	...	...	300,347	9,217
Rabbits and Hares ... "	245	...	27	...	95	...	5	...	340	32
Potted and Concen- trated ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Preserved in tins ... lb.	6,710	1,879	318	189	...	...	...	...	8,589	507
Other (including Salted) cwt.	3	...	9	...	29	...	111	...	32	120
Milk (Preserved) ... lb.	4,949	...	220	...	152	...	8	...	5,101	228
Oils ... ..	...	22,798,130	...	366,483	...	...	...	...	22,798,130	366,483
Onions	88	...	99	...	11	...	9	...	99	108
Paints and Colours ... "	25	13	60	23	...	...	...	...	38	83
Potatoes	6,953	...	4,811	...	188	...	148	...	7,141	4,959
Salt	22	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	22	16
Soap	1,420	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	1,420	26
Spirits	4	78	7	138	...	...	...	...	82	145
Sugar	64	10	114	10	6	...	6	...	80	130
Tea ... ..	...	1,089	...	92	...	...	...	...	1,089	92
Tobacco	192	44	73	12	...	...	...	...	236	85
Cigars ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cigarettes	178	...	113	...	...	...	...	...	178	113
Wine—Sparkling ... gal.	235	...	55	...	...	...	...	...	235	55
Wine—Still	2,139	2	484	2	...	...	...	...	2,141	486
All other Articles ... ..	...	...	6,320	2,187	...	...	920	3	...	9,430
Total ... ..	...	...	120,905	369,680	...	...	4,436	3	...	495,024

**No. 26—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine months ended
31st March, 1930.**

Articles.	Oversea.		Interstate.				Total.	
	Quan- tity.	Value.	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.	Value.
			Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Aus- tralian Origin.	Oversea Origin.		
I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN.								
Butter lb.	560	£ 69	3,200,990	...	£ 309,440	£	3,201,550	£ 309,509
Butter Substitutes ... .. "	...	...	607,359	...	19,845	...	607,359	19,845
Cheese "	39,659	2,566	1,386,683	1,702	76,468	80	1,428,044	79,114
Eggs in Shell doz.	502	26	23,385	160	1,893	40	24,047	1,959
Egg Pulp lb.	...	...	172,502	...	7,981	...	172,502	7,981
Fish, all kinds "	103,620	...	70,941	...	4,312	7,465	70,941	115,397
Honey lb.	...	...	2,649,559	...	2,294	...	2,650,580	2,294
Meats—Bacon and Ham "	1,021	85	...	...	161,202	...	...	161,287
Meats—Preserved by Cold Process—								
Beef ... .. "	...	...	991,722	...	21,102	...	991,722	21,102
Game ... .. "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mutton and Lamb ... .. "	...	...	68,092	...	1,093	...	68,092	1,093
Pork ... .. "	...	...	183,318	...	8,275	...	183,318	8,275
Poultry "	1,019	79	15,931	...	1,176	...	16,950	1,255
Rabbits and Hares ... .. "	...	...	22,734	...	407	...	22,734	407
Meats—Potted, Concentrated, etc. "	...	7,713	...	...	20,377	25	...	28,115
Preserved in tins ... lb.	73,853	4,635	1,008,966	3,576	41,448	252	1,086,395	46,335
Other "	...	382	...	...	4,620	...	...	5,002
Sausage Casings ... cwt.	312	4,020	328	103	4,044	1,439	743	9,503
Milk and Cream—								
In Powdered Form ... lb.	90	6	485,566	...	21,871	...	485,656	21,877
Condensed "	3,220	104	2,579,938	...	127,126	...	2,583,158	127,230
II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN, INCLUDING BEVERAGES NON-ALCOHOLIC.								
Biscuits lb.	74,189	4,992	292,117	630	15,221	63	366,936	20,276
Confectionery "	199,464	13,032	1,729,797	2,280	160,500	177	1,931,541	173,709
Oilcake, including Linseed Cake cntl.	...	...	7,113	...	4,576	...	7,113	4,576
Fruits, Dried—								
Currants lb.	...	...	33,854	...	880	...	33,854	880
Dates "	532,860	4,944	...	17,930	...	334	550,790	5,278
Raisins—Sultana ... .. "	...	...	239,624	...	7,102	...	239,624	7,102
Other "	1,038	37	20,688	...	818	...	21,726	855
Other Dried Fruits "	53,281	4,393	339,745	...	10,090	...	393,026	14,483
Fruits—Fresh—								
Bananas cntl.	20,426	16,890	24	...	29	...	20,450	16,919
Citrus "	65	91	1	...	2	...	66	93
Other "	28	27	468	...	977	...	496	1,004
Fruits, Preserved in Liquid	...	3,757	...	...	47,729	48	...	51,534
Grain and Pulse—								
Barley cntl.	138	101	123	...	60	...	261	161
Beans and Peas "	1,862	2,668	3,154	46	2,836	115	5,062	5,619
Maize "	1	2	2,899	58	2,041	38	2,958	2,081
Oats "	6	4	...	47	...	37	53	41
Wheat "	70	33	36	...	22	...	106	55
Other, Unprepared "	105	147	2	...	9	...	107	156
Bran and Pollard ... .. "	...	...	20,356	...	7,204	...	20,356	7,204
Flour "	93	93	37	...	30	...	130	123
Malt ... .. "	...	...	31,470	...	29,992	...	31,470	29,992
Oatmeal and Wheatmeal lb.	...	...	1,801,588	...	20,024	...	1,801,588	20,024
Rice cntl.	1,429	1,523	15,513	301	16,104	314	17,243	17,941
Other, Prepared "	34,976	909	6,154	4	14,140	13	41,134	15,062
Hops lb.	5,519	279	63,544	...	5,395	...	69,063	5,674
Jams and Jellies "	21,425	696	4,343,508	...	110,601	...	4,364,933	111,297
Pickles and Sauces "	...	6,296	...	...	44,098	71	...	50,465
Sugar cwt.	...	...	503,604	...	839,169	...	503,604	839,169
Onions "	24	25	23,718	...	13,933	...	23,742	13,958
Potatoes "	21	20	36,612	...	30,820	...	36,633	30,840
Vegetables, Preserved in Liquid	...	8,596	...	...	6,603	240	...	15,439
Vinegar gal.	8,023	2,158	10,002	...	1,444	...	18,025	3,602
Aerated and Mineral Waters	...	397	...	...	2,091	...	...	2,488
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	164,335	4,191	10,260	2,640	1,083	159	177,235	5,433
Coffee and Chicory "	292,652	11,025	124,203	14,691	8,651	984	431,546	20,660
Lime Juice and other Fruit Juices gal.	3,385	991	9,442	36	3,871	14	12,863	4,876
Tea lb.	1,680,516	105,962	...	1,187,081	...	135,218	2,868,597	240,180
III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.								
Ale and Beer, in Bottle ... gal.	24,329	8,623	148,170	...	46,604	...	172,499	55,227
" in Bulk ... .. "	...	...	3,176	...	612	...	3,176	612
Brandy "	2,786	3,739	12,029	268	9,923	312	15,083	13,974
Gln. including Schnapps	2,879	1,481	4,972	7,722	3,086	9,895	15,573	14,462
Liqueurs and Bitters "	1,664	1,625	136	269	259	493	2,069	2,377
Rum "	1,444	702	1,044	...	641	...	2,488	1,343
Whisky "	48,299	54,856	13,760	8,409	11,372	13,117	70,468	79,345
Wine—Sparkling "	687	1,973	1,679	70	1,923	194	2,436	4,090
Other "	2,831	1,773	101,537	145	44,017	126	104,513	45,916

No. 26.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Six months ended
31st March, 1930—continued.

Articles.	Oversea.		Interstate.				Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.	Value.
			Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.		
		£			£	£		£
IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.								
Tobacco—Manufactured ... lb.	4,645	1,208	808,551	2,309	306,117	1,106	815,505	308,431
Unmanufactured ... "	79,071	7,219	10,890	...	1,312	...	89,961	8,531
Cigars ... " "	3,241	3,467	29,638	270	19,384	330	33,149	23,181
Cigarettes ... " "	47,133	22,328	311,558	1,874	261,455	1,127	360,565	284,910
V.—LIVE ANIMALS.								
Cattle ... " No.	1	83	1,883	...	17,881	...	1,884	17,964
Horses ... " "	7	3,850	1,645	1	45,031	250	1,653	49,131
Pigs ... " "	15	275	12	...	226	...	27	501
Sheep ... " "	5	144	39,219	...	81,221	...	39,224	81,365
Other ... " "	...	117	...	...	490	...	...	607
VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES NOT FOODSTUFFS.								
Hides and Skins—Hides ... No.	2,510	6,637	4,536	...	7,677	...	7,046	14,314
Sheep ... " "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other ... " "	...	339	...	...	66	172	...	577
Wool—Greasy ... lb.	...	...	20,647	...	1,924	...	20,647	1,924
Scoured ... " "	290,940	52,658	...	...	...	...	290,940	52,658
VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.								
Bark, Tanning ... cwt.	...	...	2,048	...	1,020	...	2,048	1,020
Extracts, Tanning ... "	...	6,023	...	...	805	...	...	6,823
Plants, Trees and Bulbs ... "	...	379	...	...	2,224	...	...	2,603
Linseed ... cntl.	239	237	605	47	537	53	891	827
Starch ... lb.	7,689	274	257,327	...	7,705	...	265,016	7,979
VIII.—APPAREL, TEXTILES, ETC.								
Apparel and Soft Goods ... "	...	945,075	...	...	894,995	77,076	...	1,917,146
Boots and Shoes ... "	...	17,763	...	...	339,624	300	...	357,687
Hats and Caps ... "	...	24,435	...	...	69,884	5,175	...	99,494
Umbrellas and Parasols ... "	...	680	...	...	4,659	...	...	5,339
Jute Goods ... "	...	665,027	...	...	1,787	3,508	...	670,322
Cordage and Twine ... "	...	43,958	...	...	20,365	17,737	...	82,060
IX.—OILS, FATS, AND WAXES.								
Lard, Lard Oil, and Refined Fats ... lb.	20,679	555	368,790	...	14,714	...	389,469	15,269
Oils in vessels up to one gallon ... "	...	6,574	...	...	2,508	31	...	9,113
Oils in Bulk—Castor ... gal.	7,689	1,512	5,750	...	1,679	...	13,439	3,191
Cocconut ... "	...	...	10,776	...	2,145	...	10,776	2,145
Cotton Seed ... "	5,196	810	252	...	53	...	5,448	863
Essential ... "	...	1,953	...	...	1,106	63	...	3,122
Kerosene ... gal	6,720,705	170,530	...	1,340	...	111	6,722,045	170,641
Olive ... "	4,844	1,561	1,742	550	1,476	420	7,136	3,457
Other ... "	...	847,840	...	...	13,593	4,197	865,630	...
Turpentine ... gal.	20,020	3,416	...	...	...	...	20,020	3,416
Shale, Kerosene ... ton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stearine ... lb	...	...	93,540	...	2,462	...	93,540	2,462
Tallow ... cwt.	3	11	600	...	1,125	...	803	1,136
Wax—Beeswax ... lb.	1,442	139	2,445	...	212	...	3,887	351
Paraffin ... "	338,180	4,989	464	...	20	...	338,644	5,009
Other ... "	18,450	491	2,783	...	172	...	21,233	663
X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES.								
Paints, Colours, and Varnishes ... "	...	19,714	...	...	61,973	428	...	82,115
XI.—STONE AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.								
Coal ... ton.	21,578	21,076	17,199	...	23,310	...	38,884	44,452
Coke ... "	1,215	1,914	66	...	315	...	1,174	2,163
Concentrates ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gold, Uncoined ... "	...	553	...	...	...	...	...	553
Ores, exclusive of Gold ... cwt.	3,058	3,380	1,801	...	646	...	4,859	4,026
Stone—Abrasive ... "	...	6,676	...	...	158	33	...	6,867
Other, including Marble and Slate ... "	...	3,263	...	...	653	237	...	4,153

No 26.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine months ended
31st March, 1930—continued.

Articles.	Oversea.		Interstate.				Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.	Value.
			Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.		
XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY.		£			£	£		£
Machines and Machinery, except Agricultural ... ..	...	825,886	...	...	191,219	57,664	...	1,074,769
Implements and Machinery—Agricultural, Horticultural, and Viticultural ... ..	...	54,580	...	...	379,390	15,585	...	449,555
Metals—Manufactures of ... ..	...	355,612	...	...	288,871	11,875	...	656,358
Copper—Bar, Rod, Ingot, Sheet Plates, Pipes, Tubes cwt. 1,672	1,672	9,428	2,276	920	14,940	2,049	4,868	26,417
Iron and Steel—Pig, Ingot, Bar, Rod, etc.	65,743	42,081	91,620	289	45,349	456	157,652	87,886
Iron and Steel—Plate and Sheet, including Galvanised and Corrugated	307,358	178,495	3,530	121	4,008	171	311,009	182,674
Iron and Steel—Structural	31,521	15,148	9,085	...	13,556	...	40,606	28,704
Lamps and Lampware ... ..	...	29,911	...	...	3,644	1,497	...	35,052
Lead—Pig or contained in Matte cwt.	...	...	1,530	...	1,952	...	1,530	1,952
Sheet and Pipe	1,033	1,601	2,426	...	5,866	...	3,459	7,467
Quicksilver lb.	2,893	897	...	15	...	7	2,908	904
Railway Material ... ..	...	10,449	...	...	133,213	...	...	143,662
Tin Ingots cwt.	75	806	380	...	4,151	...	455	4,957
Tools of Trade ... ..	...	68,398	...	...	4,400	1,677	...	74,475
Vehicles—Bicycles, etc. ... ..	...	74,007	...	...	1,920	1,386	...	77,313
„ Other and Parts ... ..	...	559,059	...	...	148,131	33,115	...	740,305
„ Aircraft Parts and Fittings ... ..	...	6,843	...	...	256	193	...	7,292
Zinc—Circles and Ingots ... ..	...	64	...	...	343	...	...	407
„ Sheets ... ..	...	4,333	...	...	7,893	14	...	12,240
XIII.—RUBBER, LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.								
Rubber Goods ... ..	...	43,657	...	...	380,237	2,369	...	426,263
Belting, all kinds ... ..	...	6,900	...	...	4,099	666	...	11,665
Leather ... ..	...	583	...	...	46,079	...	...	46,662
„ Manufactures of ... ..	...	3,420	...	...	13,987	62	...	17,469
XIV.—WOOD, WICKER, CANE.								
Furniture ... ..	...	16,101	...	...	30,335	1,253	...	47,689
Timber ... ..	...	77,020	...	...	39,465	10,678	...	127,163
Wicker, Bamboo, Cane Manufactures ... ..	...	2,442	...	...	79	...	...	2,521
Wood—Articles made of ... ..	...	17,449	...	...	18,593	1,338	...	37,380
XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENT, CHINA, GLASS.								
Cement, Portland cwt.	101,787	15,135	4,030	...	1,093	...	105,817	16,228
Earthenware, China, etc. ... ..	...	48,376	...	...	6,430	878	...	55,684
Glass and Glassware ... ..	...	51,361	...	...	28,418	682	...	80,461
XVI.—PAPER, STATIONERY.								
Paper, Printing ton	5,222	88,858	121	252	344	488	5,595	89,690
„ Other ... ..	...	86,158	...	...	36,271	2,817	...	125,246
Books (Printed), Music, Periodicals ... ..	...	60,959	...	...	11,660	6,223	...	78,842
Stationery, Manufactured ... ..	...	27,977	...	...	45,842	1,640	...	75,459
XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES, FANCY GOODS.								
Fancy Goods ... ..	...	54,645	...	...	38,538	4,154	...	97,337
Jewellery ... ..	...	7,816	...	...	254	30	...	8,100
Clocks and Watches ... ..	...	20,932	...	...	505	1,443	...	22,880
XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL, AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.								
Photographic Goods and Materials ... ..	...	2,296	...	...	11,397	174	...	13,867
Instruments, other than Musical ... ..	...	40,019	...	...	68,949	12,412	...	121,380
XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILISERS.								
Drugs and Chemicals, N.E.I. ... ..	...	76,669	...	...	164,544	9,446	...	250,659
Acid, Tartaric cwt.	100	799	218	30	2,140	189	348	3,092
Cream of Tartar lb.	184,967	9,674	85,232	...	5,377	...	270,199	15,051
Fertilisers—Ammonium Sulphate cwt.	46,940	25,363	...	...	...	...	46,940	25,363
Rock Phosphate	2,222,440	192,564	...	...	...	...	2,222,440	192,564
Sodium Nitrate	33,000	15,989	...	...	...	...	33,000	15,989
Superphosphates	4,529	3,322	...	...	...	...	4,529	3,322
Other, N.E.I.	30,581	14,909	26,478	26	13,522	52	57,085	28,483

No. 26.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Nine months ended 31st March, 1930—continued.

Articles.	Oversea.		Interstate.				Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.	Value.
			Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.		
XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILISERS—continued.		£			£	£		£
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations ...	...	26,949	...	...	40,349	11,832	...	79,130
Salt, Rock ... cwt.	4,534	554	21	...	7	...	4,555	561
" N.E.I. ... "	1,440	265	10,965	60	2,461	26	12,465	2,752
XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.								
Arms. Ammunition, Explosives ...	...	59,884	...	...	15,422	1,894	...	77,200
Bags, Baskets, Boxes ...	...	17,611	...	...	9,061	400	...	27,072
Blue, Laundry ... lb.	...	...	77,870	...	5,867	...	77,870	5,867
Boats, Launches and Yachts ...	...	357	...	...	577	103	...	1,037
Brushware ...	...	16,346	...	...	9,559	2,545	...	28,450
Instruments, Musical, N.E.I. ...	...	7,568	...	...	502	1,293	...	9,363
Pianos ... No.	252	17,152	138	27	13,683	3,019	417	33,854
Matches and Vestas ... gr. bx.	110,400	16,751	76,133	...	20,670	...	186,533	37,421
Oilmen's Stores ...	...	12,838	...	...	64,752	1,805	...	79,395
Infants' Foods ...	...	3,777	...	...	16,264	150	...	20,191
Personal and Household Effects ...	...	12,647	...	...	28,801	104	...	41,552
Pitch, Tar, and Bitumen ... cwt.	181,255	47,908	734	429	481	188	182,418	48,577
Soap ... lb.	29,823	3,769	1,035,868	2,300	41,328	87	1,067,991	45,184
All other Articles ...	...	397,360	...	...	149,170	9,374	...	555,904
XXI.—GOLD, SILVER, AND BRONZE.								
Specie—Gold ...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	3
Silver ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bronze ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver—Bar, Rod, Matte ... oz.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	7,182,219	...	...	7,212,443	499,120	...	14,893,782
					7,711,563			

No. 27.—Value of Imports and Exports, Oversea and Interstate, at the Several Ports of Western Australia during the undermentioned periods.

Ports, etc.	Year ended 30th June, 1929.		Nine months ended 31st March, 1930.					
	Value of Trade.		Value of Imports.			Value of Exports.*		
	Imports.	Exports.*	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
Fremantle ...	£ 18,556,747	£ 13,059,304	£ 6,928,411	£ 7,052,951	£ 13,981,362	£ 9,622,125	£ 673,828	£ 10,295,953
Perth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Albany ...	264,927	466,899	32,606	160,694	193,300	176,181	15,862	192,043
Broome ...	40,845	148,733	27,946	3,812	31,758	144,474	...	144,474
Bunbury ...	53,018	1,476,823	18,685	46,934	65,619	937,331	125,370	1,062,701
Busselton ...	1,025	78,580	318	4,172	4,490	12,988	47,611	60,599
Carnarvon ...	31,526	199,636	13,984	...	13,984	126,652	...	126,652
Derby ...	1,270	4,744	1,226	...	1,226	...	...	...
Esperance ...	1,324	21,572	...	1,479	1,479	...	...	...
Geraldton ...	92,962	1,340,897	149,632	26,392	176,024	1,352,617	...	1,352,617
Onslow ...	2,126	36,890	3,477	185	3,662	3,260	...	3,260
Port Hedland ...	9,577	121,876	3,358	...	3,358	85,892	...	85,892
Roebourne ...	4,712	53,632	2,572	36	2,608	32,702	...	32,702
Wyndham ...	54,624	160,298	4	...	4	72,856	...	72,856
Other Ports ...	2,497	...	...	735	735	...	40	40
Overland by Rail ...	936,592	16,100	...	414,173	414,173	...	5,489	5,489
Total ...	20,053,772	17,185,954	7,182,219	7,711,563	14,893,782	12,567,078	868,200	13,435,278

* Including Ship's Stores.

VII.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

No. 28.—Land Settlement as on the 31st December, 1929.

Particulars.	Area.	Area.
I.—ABSOLUTELY ALIENATED:— Area sold by public auction or other forms of direct sale or otherwise alienated up to 31st December, 1929	acres. ...	acres. 14,120,888
II.—IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION ON THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1929:— Midland Railway Concessions in process of alienation Free Homestead Farms Conditional Purchases Selections from late W.A. Land Company Selections under the Agricultural Lands Purchase Act Special Occupation Leases and Licenses Homestead or Grazing Leases Poison Land Leases and Licenses Village Allotments	54,800 888,718 6,899,826 5,297 547,172 300 13,234,655 23,252 92	21,654,112
Total area alienated or in process of alienation on the 31st December, 1929 ...	...	35,775,000
III.—LEASES OR LICENSES IN FORCE ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1929:— Issued by Lands Department— Pastoral Leases Special Leases Leases of Reserves Residential Lots Issued by Mines Department— Gold Mining Leases* Mineral Leases† Miners' Homestead Leases Issued by Forestry Department— Timber Leases and Concessions Timber Permits a	245,245,629 45,925 2,334,474 5,897 6,181 47,460 32,174 321,640 1,126,300	249,165,680 339,648,120
V.—AREA NEITHER ALIENATED, IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION, NOR LEASED ... ..	...	624,588,800
Total Area of Western Australia ... ..	...	624,588,800

* Inclusive of 6 acres on "Private Property."

† Inclusive of 202 acres on "Private Property."

a Including 59,997 acres of Firewood Permits, but exclusive of Miscellaneous Permits for Forest Produce.

No. 29.—Principal Crown Lands Transactions.—Area of Crown Lands for which Applications have been approved by the Lands Department from 1920.

Period.	Conditional Alienation.						Leases and Licenses.			
	Condi- tional Pur- chases.	Free Home- stead Farms.	Grazing Leases.	Selec- tions, Land Purchase Act.	Town Lots.	Total.	Pastoral Leases and Licenses.	Special Leases.	Miscel- laneous Leases.	Total.
1920	acres. 450,170	acres. 63,931	acres. 1,095,998	acres. 163,917	acres. 1,907	acres. 1,775,923	acres. 17,987,273	acres. 143,980	acres. 606	acres. 18,131,859
1925	344,806	112,944	1,204,790	7,100	1,824	1,671,404	15,358,284	37,706	...	15,395,990
1926	419,734	99,141	1,695,932	44,044	1,432	2,260,283	10,377,848	15,965	...	10,393,813
1927	317,947	76,328	1,785,015	10,663	1,429	2,191,382	9,878,342	106,160	...	9,984,502
1928	609,064	71,895	1,871,701	61,367	1,566	2,615,593	12,563,081	10,773	...	12,573,854
1929	203,200	55,254	1,567,115	8,512	1,477	1,835,558	13,879,705	21,530	79,592	13,980,827
1930—										
January	19,647	7,711	64,778	922	...	93,058	203,319	214	700	204,233
February	13,785	19,999	117,053	257	62	151,156	524,727	19	636	525,382
March	24,808	21,600	120,009	60	90	166,567	583,101	104	2,452	585,657

VIII.—PRODUCTION.

No. 30.—Estimated value of Western Australian Production, 1919 to 1928.

Year.*	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee-Farming.	Forestry and Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufac- turing.	Total.
1920	£ 8,732,984	£ 4,504,150	£ 1,032,507	£ 1,850,270	£ 3,259,411	£ 3,721,639	£ 23,100,961
1921	6,926,532	4,016,045	1,132,257	1,937,153	2,880,169	3,698,923	20,591,079
1922	6,495,948	5,292,235	1,174,851	2,119,968	2,801,626	4,103,526	21,988,154
1923	7,537,964	6,513,581	1,241,422	2,256,237	2,657,950	4,720,637	24,927,791
1924	11,183,727	6,709,662	1,362,914	2,582,101	2,581,162	5,254,907	29,674,473
1925	9,754,956	5,786,938	1,717,831	13,993,226	12,505,170	17,335,166	31,093,287
1926	12,093,686	5,694,184	1,643,863	2,884,156	12,466,581	5,849,916	30,632,386
1927	13,034,025	7,190,770	1,800,024	2,664,531	12,348,913	6,618,473	33,656,736
1928	11,942,067	6,533,601	1,883,782	2,287,948	12,294,254	7,051,049	31,992,701

* In the case of Agricultural Production, seasons ended last day of February in following year.

† For

period of 18 months ended 30th June, 1926.

‡ Including Quarries.

§ Part Dairying over period of 18 months.

IX.—GOLD MINING STATISTICS.

No. 31.—Annual Gold Production of Western Australia from 1886, comprising Raw Gold entered for Export, plus Raw Gold received at the Perth Branch of the Royal Mint (from May, 1899) ; also amounts of Dividends paid.

Period.	Quantity of Raw Gold.			Value.	Dividends Paid.
	Exported Direct.	Received at Perth Mint.	Total.		
	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	£	£
Prior to 1924	10,970,760	24,859,155	35,829,915	152,195,803	28,550,477
1925	3,911	437,341	441,252	1,874,320	59,224
1926	3,188	434,155	437,343	1,857,716	61,479
1927	3,359	404,994	408,353	1,734,571	31,250
1928	3,339	390,069	393,408	1,671,093	31,250
1929	3,036	374,140	377,176	1,602,142	65,607
1886 to 31st December, 1929 ...	10,987,593	26,899,854	37,887,447	*160,935,645	28,795,287
January, 1930	380	25,093	25,473	108,202	12,500
February, 1930	288	31,020	31,308	132,987	...
March, 1930	159	27,788	27,947	118,710	...

* In accordance with prices realised by the Australian Gold Producers' Association on the export sales of gold from 1920 to 1924, the value of the gold production may be increased for total to end of 1929 to £163,525,247.

No. 32.—Monthly Gold Production of Western Australia, being Export of Gold plus Gold received at the Perth Branch of the Royal Mint, from 1920.

Month.	1920.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.
	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.
January	26,507	31,234	29,302	27,024	28,561	27,386	25,473
February	51,381	32,483	34,685	31,353	32,120	28,178	31,308
March	54,021	32,097	30,628	30,236	23,603	25,849	27,947
April	57,092	39,615	43,605	36,726	36,488	39,167	...
May	51,203	34,774	35,438	33,206	29,265	28,027	...
June	57,182	39,503	39,683	36,981	39,450	33,140	...
July	49,341	34,576	35,116	31,445	29,400	28,086	...
August	54,426	44,132	40,893	38,747	37,991	37,033	...
September	54,940	34,839	33,144	34,979	32,398	32,752	...
October	53,975	38,663	41,717	36,179	36,567	35,445	...
November	54,857	35,099	32,210	32,634	31,467	28,462	...
December	53,917	44,237	40,832	38,842	36,098	33,651	...
Total	617,842	441,252	437,343	408,352	393,408	377,176	84,728

X.—LIVE STOCK AND WOOL-CLIP.

No. 33.—Number of Live Stock in Western Australia on the 31st December, 1919 to 1923, and Wool-clip during each Year.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Goats.	Camels.	Mules and Donkeys.	Wool-clip.	Wool Exported on skins.
								lbs.	lbs.
1919 ...	174,919	880,644	6,697,951	58,155	31,997	6,137	6,888	41,594,124	7,085,045
1924 ...	175,116	891,564	6,396,564	66,375	24,542	6,045	10,115	43,423,989	3,780,698
1925 ...	170,583	835,911	6,861,795	74,316	21,596	5,594	10,315	48,288,461	3,538,619
1926 ...	166,463	827,303	7,458,766	69,798	20,979	5,021	9,442	55,181,972	4,168,051
1927 ...	165,021	846,735	8,447,480	59,810	21,798	4,836	10,334	62,702,013	4,847,721
1928 ...	160,876	837,527	8,943,002	49,243	19,762	4,119	9,560	58,865,734	5,025,250

XI.—AGRICULTURE.

No. 34.—Cropping, Clearing, etc., 1919-1920 to 1928-1929.

Season ended last day of February.	Land Cropped, Cleared, etc.						
	Under Crop.	Under artificially-sown grasses.	Newly cleared and prepared for next crops.	In fallow.	Other, previously cropped, now used for grazing, etc.	Ringbarked or partially cleared.	Total.
1920	acres. 1,628,163	acres. 16,672	acres. 156,135	acres. 676,271	acres. 1,925,424	acres. 2,922,854	acres. 7,325,519
1925	2,710,856	60,257	410,599	1,353,522	2,215,500	2,349,199	9,099,933
1926	2,932,110	89,170	460,021	1,594,581	2,417,072	2,264,235	9,757,189
1927	3,324,523	128,751	527,474	1,677,372	2,592,887	2,223,165	10,474,172
1928	3,720,100	169,105	666,602	1,849,533	2,884,919	2,196,544	11,486,803
1929	4,259,269	243,560	800,300	2,284,040	3,159,834	2,180,790	12,927,793

No. 35.—Areas under various kinds of Crops in Western Australia, 1919-1920 to 1928-1929.

Season ended last day of February.	Grain Crops.				Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	Vineyards.	Orchards.	Other Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Other.					
1920	acres. 1,041,827	acres. 191,931	acres. 9,167	acres. 772	acres. 327,498	acres. 3,585	acres. 2,975	acres. 19,817	acres. 30,591
1925	1,867,614	318,982	11,606	2,783	397,591	5,122	5,331	18,525	83,802
1926	2,112,032	278,344	13,306	4,255	391,142	4,262	5,270	18,358	105,141
1927	2,571,187	234,826	13,826	3,356	358,487	5,141	5,274	18,512	113,911
1928	2,998,523	235,469	12,138	2,053	357,065	5,280	4,959	18,393	86,220
1929	3,343,530	325,827	14,429	2,635	414,866	4,819	4,943	18,735	129,485
Forecast for season 1929-30	3,509,010	420,092	24,452	...	*492,375	...	...	...	...

* Wheaten and Oaten Hay.

No. 36.—Yield of Principal Crops and quantity of Wine made, 1919-1920 to 1928-1929.

Season ended last day of February.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	Wine.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.			
1920	bushels. 11,222,950	bushels. 2,486,918	bushels. 116,037	tons. 379,025	tons. 13,240	gallons. 162,397
1925	23,887,397	4,241,074	177,537	448,525	19,891	223,761
1926	20,471,177	2,939,380	158,300	355,269	16,052	238,726
1927	31,068,600	2,716,436	128,136	423,839	17,755	291,951
1928	36,370,219	2,922,865	126,835	416,707	16,746	408,717
1929	33,790,040	3,554,609	189,560	421,504	18,774	309,524
Forecast for season 1929-30	38,000,000	5,526,891	316,606	*478,340	...	...

* Wheaten and Oaten Hay.

No. 37.—Average Yield per Acre of Principal Crops, 1919-1920 to 1928-1929.

Season ended last day of February.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		
1920	bush. 10·77	bush. 12·96	bush. 12·66	tons. 1·16	tons. 3·69
1925	12·79	13·30	15·30	1·13	3·88
1926	9·60	10·56	11·90	0·91	3·77
1927	12·08	11·57	9·27	1·18	3·45
1928	12·13	12·41	10·45	1·17	3·17
1929	10·11	10·91	13·14	1·02	3·90
Forecast for season 1929-30	10·83	13·16	12·95	*0·97	...

* Wheaten and Oaten Hay.

XII.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

(Exclusive of Mines.)

No. 38.—Output of the principal Articles manufactured in Industrial Establishments of Western Australia, 1919 to 1928-29.

Articles, etc., Produced or Treated.		1919.	1924.	Period of 18 months ended 30th June, 1926.	1926-1927.	1927-1928.	1928-1929.
Hides tanned	No.	36,582	58,159	78,897	55,583	48,513	50,628
Skins tanned	"	21,208	5,852	2,855	3,980	10,549	13,417
Leather produced	lbs.	1,348,284	2,181,093	2,951,512	2,074,031	1,842,787	1,952,941
Bricks	No.	21,091,728	34,929,673	53,720,871	45,558,736	53,317,694	60,816,627
Lime burned	tons.	10,561	9,231	11,402	8,533	8,339	11,355
Timber sawn or hewn ^a	sup. ft.	131,476,741	207,136,805	328,934,558	229,195,066	227,631,264	174,324,082
Bacon	lbs.	2,077,195	2,506,367	4,012,759	2,237,375	2,500,788	2,353,628
Ham	"	162,362	101,631	186,814	277,156	91,187	84,834
Butter	"	995,953	1,660,242	1,872,745	2,464,352	2,847,929	3,622,324
Confectionery	"	2,548,910	3,824,004	6,104,151	4,258,620	4,720,856	5,035,741
Jam	"	731,354	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>
Pickles	pints	115,316	160,028	128,288	124,536	232,144	213,992
Sauce	"	355,934	179,028	316,790	168,444	394,750	386,812
Vinegar	"	<i>b</i>	1,058,248	1,450,880	1,373,624	1,706,952	1,216,600
Wheat ground	bush.	6,790,320	5,902,120	9,011,518	6,292,463	5,980,113	5,644,930
Flour made	tons	141,516	122,192	190,369	133,919	127,246	119,550
Aerated Waters	doz.	981,336	845,588	1,201,611	896,293	1,051,778	984,992
Cordials	"	53,525	<i>c</i> 95,901	82,154	43,102	55,007	62,649
Beer and Stout	gall.	5,774,924	5,195,998	7,592,900	5,615,201	6,010,532	5,934,303
Tobacco made	lbs.	2,140	9,960	12,349	52,150	107,400	192,015
Cigarettes made	No.	<i>b</i>	34,800,000	39,924,000	17,523,774	16,384,000	9,837,074
Do.	lbs.		73,557	82,490	36,250	34,100	20,440
Cigars made	No.		1,360,450	2,381,950	1,482,376	1,339,933	1,404,225
Do.	lbs.	pairs	14,615	25,682	15,238	14,480	14,998
Boots and Shoes	"		224,058	449,603	355,754	360,526	356,300
Electric Light used	Brit. Units		8,825,178	18,002,698	27,091,910	21,944,352	27,750,750
do. Power	"	"	19,257,042	37,437,188	72,761,462	62,505,810	64,709,005
Gas manufactured	cub. ft.	179,729,000	217,116,500	373,854,300	293,807,400	330,239,700	361,561,400
Value, Total Industrial Production <i>c</i> ...		£	3,822,569	6,958,472	<i>d</i> 9,611,113	<i>d</i> 6,907,023	<i>d</i> 7,690,123
							<i>d</i> 7,968,649

^a Including the following quantities (in super. feet):—Hewn outside Industrial Establishments for the Railway Department, Exporters, Coal and Gold Mines, etc., 1919, 9,792,201; 1924, 17,229,019; 1925-26, 57,270,498; 1926-27, 73,107,815; 1927-28, 64,451,395; 1928-29, 29,281,146. ^b Not available. ^c Added value, being the total value of output of all Industrial Establishments *minus* the values of raw material and fuel, etc. The figures are different from those shown in Table No. 30 on page 22 under "Manufacturing," as, under the classification there adopted, several items annually collected from "Industrial Establishments" come under other headings. ^d Previous to 1925/26 a supplementary Class XX. was included, which has since been excluded. ^e Inclusive of £137,898 in 1927/28 and £162,162 in 1928/29 the production of bakeries, which in 1925-26 and 1926-27 were not classed as "Industrial Establishments" but prior to these years were classed as such.

XIII.—RETAIL PRICES AND HOUSE RENT.

METROPOLITAN AREA, OUTPORTS, AND AGRICULTURAL TOWNS.

No. 39.—Average Retail Prices, December, 1929, and March, 1930.

Comparison of Metropolitan Area Retail Prices in Dec., 1929, and March, 1930, with Perth Retail Prices in July, 1914.

Commodities.	Perth Prices, July, 1914.	December, 1929.		March, 1930.		Index Numbers representing varia- tions in the cost of food and groceries in the undermentioned towns for the quarter ended March, 1930, with weighted average for six capital towns in 1911 as base = 1000.	
		(a.) Metro- politan Area.	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.	(a.) Metro- politan Area.	Percentage Increase as compared with July 1914.	Town.	Index No
GROCERIES.							
Flour—Ordinary ... 25lbs.	s. d. 2 8½	s. d. 4 5½	66·67	s. d. 4 4½	62·02	Metropolitan Area ...	1818
Tea ... lb.	1 4	2 2½	64·06	2 2½	65·63	Albany ...	1929
Coffee ... "	1 6½	1 10½	23·29	1 10½	23·29	Bridgetown ...	2120
Sugar ... "	0 2½	0 4½	63·64	0 4½	63·64	Bunbury ...	2021
Rice ... "	0 3	0 3½	16·67	0 3½	16·67	Collie ...	1966
Sago ... "	0 2½	0 3½	18·18	0 3½	18·18	Coolgardie ...	2117
Jam ... "	0 4½	0 7	64·70	0 7	64·70	Cue ...	2329
Oatmeal ... "	0 2½	0 3½	50·00	0 3½	50·00	Geraldton ...	1989
Raisins ... "	0 7	0 8	14·29	0 8½	17·86	Greenbushes ...	2069
Currants ... "	0 6½	0 8½	30·77	0 8½	30·77	Gwalla ...	2279
Starch ... "	0 6	0 9½	54·17	0 9	50·00	Jardee (Jarnadup) ...	2104
Blue (doz. squares) ...	0 11	1 4½	47·73	1 4½	47·73	Jarrahdale ...	1962
Candles ... lb.	0 7½	0 11½	50·00	0 11½	53·33	Kalgoorlie ...	2096
Soap ... "	0 3	0 2½	83·33	0 5½	83·33	Katanning ...	1887
Potatoes ... 14lbs.	1 8½	1 7	6·17†	1 2½	27·16†	Leonora ...	2317
Onions ... lb.	0 1½	0 2½	42·86	0 2	14·29	Lyall's Mill ...	1992
Kerosene ... gal.	1 2½	1 9½	50·00	1 9½	50·00	Manjimup ...	2117
Butter ... lb.	1 4	2 0	50·00	1 11½	48·44	Meekatharra ...	2306
Cheese ... "	0 11½	1 3½	37·78	1 3½	35·56	Menzies ...	2319
Eggs ... doz.	1 8½	1 6½	10·98†	1 11½	14·63	Merredin ...	2016
Bacon—Middle ... lb.	1 2	1 8	42·86	1 8	42·86	Mullewa ...	2146
Shoulder ... "	0 9	0 11½	30·56	0 11	22·22	Nanga Brook ...	2063
Ham ... "	1 3½	1 10½	46·77	1 11	48·39	Narrogin ...	1936
Bread ... 2lbs.	0 3½	0 6	71·43	0 6	71·43	Norseman ...	2407
Milk ... qrt.	0 6½	0 8½	32·00	0 8½	36·00	Northam ...	1938
MEATS.							
Beef—Sirloin ... lb.	0 8	0 11	37·50	0 10½	34·37	Northampton ...	2146
Rib ... "	0 6½	0 9	31·33	0 9	31·33	Pemberton ...	2166
Flank ... "	0 5½	0 9½	69·56	0 9½	65·22	Southern Cross ...	2150
Shin ... "	0 6	0 8	33·33	0 8	33·33	Wiluna ...	2512
Steak, Rump ... "	0 11½	1 5	47·82	1 5½	50·00	Varloop ...	1991
Shoulder ... "	0 7½	0 10½	41·38	0 10½	44·82	Youanmi ...	2718
Stewing ... "	0 6½	0 9	33·33	0 9½	40·74	Westonia ...	2281
Corned, Round ... "	0 7	0 10½	46·43	0 10	42·86		
Brisket with bone ... "	0 4½	0 6½	47·06	0 6	41·18		
" without bone ... "	0 6	0 8½	37·50	0 8	33·33		
Mutton—Leg ... "	0 9	0 9½	2·78	0 9½	8·33		
Shoulder ... "	0 7½	0 5½	20·69†	0 6½	10·35†		
Loin ... "	0 8	0 8½	9·38	0 9	12·50		
Neck ... "	0 6½	0 6	11·12†	0 6	11·12†		
Chops, Loin ... "	0 9	0 9½	5·56	0 10	11·11		
" Leg ... "	0 9	0 10½	13·89	0 11	22·22		
" Neck ... "	0 7½	0 6½	6·90†	0 7½	...		
Pork—Leg ... "	0 10½	1 4	52·38	1 3	42·86		
Loin ... "	0 10½	1 3½	45·24	1 3	42·86		
Belly ... "	0 9½	1 1½	35·89	1 0½	28·21		
Chops ... "	0 11	1 3½	43·18	1 3	36·36		
All commodities ... "	...	...	36·34	...	35·60		

a Extending from Fremantle to Midland Junction, both inclusive. †Decrease.

No. 40.—Average Weekly House Rents, December Quarter, 1929, to March Quarter, 1930.

Period.	Index No. *	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.	December, 1929.									March, 1930.				
			Cottages	Metro-politan Area.	Agri-cultural Towns	Outports.			Metro-politan Area.	Agri-cultural Towns	Outports.					
						Bun-bury.	Ger-alton	Al-bany			Bun-bury.	Ger-alton	Al-bany.			
1914.																
July ...	1340	...														
1929.																
4th Qr. (Oct. to Dec.) ...	1868	39·40														
1930.																
January ...	1830	36·57	Wood—	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
February ...	1807	34·85	4 rooms	16 1	16 9	16 10	18 9	11 7	16 9	16 3	16 1	18 9	10 9			
March ...	1817	35·60	5 rooms	22 3	21 9	20 0	23 9	14 1	22 4	21 11	17 11	23 9	13 0			
1st Qr. (Jan. to Mar.) ...	1818	35·67	Brick—													
			4 rooms	19 11	18 10	16 11	24 3	12 5	21 1	18 8	14 11	24 3	12 5			
			5 rooms	26 1	22 2	18 9	26 11	17 3	27 7	23 1	19 2	26 11	16 7			

* Representing variations in the cost of food and groceries in the Metropolitan Area for the periods referred to, with weighted average for six capital towns in 1911 as base = 1000.

(a.) See Note to Table No. 39. (b.) Northam and Katanning. In March, 1930, the average house rent for the Metropolitan Area was 22/6 as compared with 21/5 in December, 1929. In calculating the average rent for each quarter, "weights" representing the number of houses in the Metropolitan Area as disclosed by the 1921 Census were used.

XIV.—WAGES.

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages established under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Trades and Occupations up to 31st March, 1930.

Note.—The rates relate to the Metropolitan Area except where otherwise stated.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
TREATING RAW MATERIAL, ETC.		STONE, CLAY, GLASS, ETC.— <i>contd.</i>	
Sausage Casing—	£ s. d.	Fibrous Plaster, Plaster, and Cement Goods—	£ s. d.
Beef or Mutton Scraper	Per week.	Sheet Fibre Casters (b)	Per hour.
Juniors	5 4 6	Reinforced Cement Worker (b)	0 2 0
...	1 19 11	Glass—	Per week
...	to	Glass bevelling and silvering	5 8 0
...	4 8 6	Limeworks—	
Tanneries—		Cutters, Loaders, Kilnhands and Quarrymen	4 14 0
Bark Bagger	4 14 0	Horse-drivers	4 14 6
Currier	5 6 0	to	to
Flesher (Hand)	5 1 6	Motor-drivers	4 19 6
Lime Jobber	4 13 0	to	to
Machinist	5 6 0	Day Firers, Powder Monkey, Lime Baggers and Crushers	5 7 6
Roller or Striker	4 18 0	Kiln Repairers	5 0 0
Shedman	4 12 0	Night Firer	5 2 0
Scudder, Unhairer	4 16 0	Pottery and Porcelain Employees—	Per shift.
Tannery Hand (Unskilled)	4 10 6	Male	1 3 0
Tableman	4 16 6	Female	0 15 10
Fellmongering and Woollscouring—		to	to
General Hand	4 15 0	Male	0 18 4½
Chaff-cutting and Carting (a)—		Per day.	Per day.
Steam-feeder, Stackman and Sheaf-turner	3 2 0	Female	2 9 8
Cook	3 9 6	to	Per week
Bag Sewer	3 12 0		
Engine-driver	4 9 6		
Teamster	5 13 6		
OILS AND FATS.		WORKING IN WOOD.	
Soap and Candle Factories—		Box and Case-making—	Per week.
Glycerine Hand	4 17 6	Sawyer	4 17 0
Leading Candlemaker	4 16 0	Machinist	4 14 6
Boxmaker	4 16 0	Case-maker	4 14 6
Soap Crutcher	4 14 0	Labourer	4 7 0
Storeman Packer	4 13 0	Undertaking—	
Soda Crystal Maker	4 13 0	Coffin Maker	5 7 6
Tallow Man, Box Wirer, and Soap Cutter	4 12 0	Trimmer	4 17 6
Assistants to Soap-maker and Candle-maker	4 12 0	Joinery (b)—	
All other Adults (Males)	4 7 0	Carpenter (Government)	5 11 0
		Per hour.	Per hour.
		Carpenter (Other)	0 2 6½
		to	to
		Forest Sawmills—(Throughout State)	0 2 9½
		Blacksmith	Per week.
		Carpenter (Bush)	5 5 0
		Dockerman	4 18 0
		to	4 11 6
		Engine-drivers—	to
		Locomotive	4 16 0
		to	to
		Stationary	5 6 0
		to	to
		Faller	5 2 0
		Farrier	5 13 0
		Fireman—	
		Locomotive	4 13 0
		to	4 10 0
		Stationary	to
		to	4 13 0
		Horse-driver	4 13 0
		Labourer	to
		to	4 16 0
		Puller out	4 7 0
		to	4 13 0
		to	to
		Saw Doctor	5 8 0
		to	5 17 0
		Sawyer (Twin or Vertical)	to
		to	6 5 0
		Sawyer (Circular)	5 5 0
		to	4 17 0
		Spotter	to
		Swamper	5 5 0
		Stacker	4 17 0
		Town Sawmills—	4 16 0
		Buzzer	5 1 6
		to	to
		Dockerman	5 7 6
		to	4 16 6
		to	to
		Horse-driver	5 1 0
		to	4 16 6
		to	to
		Motor Lorry Driver	5 1 6
		to	5 1 6
		to	5 9 6

(a) With keep. The award applies to S.W. Land Division.

(b) Rates quoted are to the nearest farthing.

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages established under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Trades and Occupations up to 31st March, 1930—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
WORKING IN WOOD—contd.		FOOD AND DRINK, ETC.	
Town Sawmills—contd.—	£ s. d. Per week.		£ s. d. Per week.
Joiner	5 7 0	Ham and Bacon Curing—	
Moulding Machinist	5 1 6	Leading Man	5 15 0
Sawyer	5 7 6	Sealders	5 8 0
Shaper	4 16 6	Assistants in Cellar	5 5 6
Tenoner	5 4 6	Pork Labourers, Shavers, etc.	5 0 6
Wood-turner	5 11 6	Carters, Yardmen	4 18 0
	5 1 6	Biscuits and Cakes—	
	5 7 0	Biscuit Makers	5 7 0
	5 10 0	Machine Hands	5 7 0
		Employees in Charge, Cake Mixing	5 7 0
		Weighters, Mixers, and Blenders	4 17 0
		Female Employees (Adults) ...	2 8 9
METAL WORKS AND MACHINERY.		Pastry Cooking—	
Engineering, Foundries, etc.—		Pastrycook (Single Hand) ...	5 14 6
Blacksmith, Coppersmith, Fitter, Turner,	5 11 0	Pastrycook	5 7 0
Planer, Slotter, etc.	6 0 0	Casual	0 19 2
Pattern-maker	6 6 0		Per week.
Leading Hand	4 19 0	Flour Mills—	6 0 6
Furnace man	5 11 0	Foreman Miller	to
	4 7 0		6 3 0
Tradesman's Assistant	4 13 0		5 10 0
Boilermaker	5 11 0	Shift Millers or Roller man ...	to
Moulder	5 8 0		5 15 0
	5 11 0	Fitters	5 17 0
Engineering (Sawmills)—		General Repairers	5 11 0
Pattern-maker	6 3 0		4 19 0
Oxy-acetylene Operator	5 18 0	Wheat Samplers	to
Fitter, Turner, etc.	5 14 0		5 3 0
Driller	5 2 0	Smuttermen	5 1 0
Electrical Wireman	5 8 0	Packermen	4 18 0
Tradesmen's Assistants	4 16 0		5 5 0
Agricultural Implement Making —		Engine-Drivers	to
Assemblers	Per day.		5 8 0
Labourers	0 15 6	Firemen	4 16 0
	0 14 6	Other (Adults)	4 13 0
Agricultural Implement Making (Govern-		Aerated Water and Cordial Factories—	
ment)—		Horse or Motor Driver	4 19 0
Pattern-makers	Per week.	Bottler in Charge	4 19 6
Blacksmiths	5 18 0	Bottler	4 12 0
	5 15 0	Winer or Packer	4 12 0
	5 12 0	Corker	4 9 6
Boilermaker	to	Others	4 7 0
	6 1 0	Breweries (including Bottling)—	
Carpenters	5 10 0	Motor Lorry Driver	to
Fitters, Turners, Moulders, Plumbers,	5 9 0		5 13 0
Painters	4 5 0	Cylinder Men	5 8 0
Labourers	Per day.	Linding Hands, Cask Pitchers, Firemen,	5 6 0
Engineering (Railways)—		and Assistant Topmen	
Foreman	1 5 1	Bottle-Washers, Cask-Washers, Packers,	5 3 0
Fitter in Charge, Running Shed	1 4 0	Sorters, Corkers, Winers, etc.	
Fitter in Charge, Power House	1 2 11	Engine-Drivers	6 1 0
Pattern-maker	1 1 10	Firemen	5 6 0
Blacksmith	1 1 3	Labourers (Adult), and Others	5 3 0
Coppersmith, Fitter, Brass Finisher,	1 0 2		
Turner, Borer, Planer, etc.	0 18 7	Ice Works—	
	to	Engine-Driver	5 10 0
Furnaceman, etc.	0 19 8	Fireman	4 13 0
	1 0 9	Baking—	
Boilermaker	to	Foreman in Charge of 4 or more Workers	6 1 0
	1 3 5	Foreman in Charge of less than 4 Workers	5 18 6
Moulder	1 0 2	Single-hand Baker	5 16 0
	1 2 11	Dough-maker	5 16 0
Engineering (Goldfields)—		Baker doing Oven Work	5 13 6
Coppersmith, Blacksmith, Fitter, Turner,	Per week.	Board Hand	5 11 0
Motor Mechanic and Planer	5 10 0	Jobber	Per hour.
Patternmaker	5 19 0		6 2 10½
Sheet Metal Working—		Bread Carter	Per week.
Bench Hands	5 16 0		4 17 6
Stock Hands	5 7 6	Bread Carter (in Charge, motor vehicle)	5 2 6
Canister Makers (adults)	5 0 0	Cigar, Cigarette, and Tobacco Making—	
Stove and Range Fitters and Assemblers	5 7 6	Males (Adult)	4 10 0
Gas Meter makers	5 11 0	Females (Adult)	2 9 1
Wire-working—		CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS AND FIB-	
Galvaniser	5 4 6	ROUS MATERIALS.	
Hand and Power Loom Weaver ...	4 18 6	Boots and Shoes—	
Barbed Wire-maker	7 17 6	Journeyman	5 3 3
Machinist	4 16 0	Journeywoman	2 13 1
Labourer	4 7 0	Clothing Trades—	
Plumbing—		Dressmaking—	
Plumber (Government)	5 11 0	Skirt Hand	2 11 9
	Per hour.	Coat, Bodice, etc. Hand ...	2 13 9
Plumber (Other) (b)	0 2 9½	Millinery—	
		Milliner	2 9 9

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No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages established under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations up to 31st March, 1930—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
CLOTHING, ETC.—contd.			
	£ s. d.		Per week.
Clothing Trades—contd.	Per week.		£ s. d.
Knitting—		Printing (Jobbing)—	
Males	4 9 6	Linotype and Monotype Operator ...	6 19 0
Females	2 11 1	Hand Compositors, Stereotypers, Book-	5 17 0
Ready-made Clothing (Men's and Boys' Outer)—		binders, and Finishers, Paper Rulers, Calico Bag Printers, Lithographers, Letterpress and Paper Bag Machinist, Envelope Cutters, and Guillotine Cutters	
Foreman	5 19 0		
Cutter, Trimmer, and Presser ...	5 4 0	VEHICLES AND FITTINGS, SADDLERY, HARNESS, ETC.	
Coat Hand (Female)	2 12 9	Coachbuilding, etc.—	
Brusher and Folder (Female) ...	2 9 9	Coachsmith, Painter, Wheelwright etc.	5 11 0
Machinist	2 11 3	Spoke Throaters, Machinists, etc. ...	5 7 0
Shirtmaking—		Smith's Striker	4 12 6
Cutter (Male)	2 12 9	Sectional Trimmer	5 3 0
Cutter (Female)	5 4 0	Floor Man	5 2 0
Machinist, Ironer, Starcher ...	2 17 9	Metal Panel Fixer	5 0 0
Stock Costumes—	2 9 9	Painter's Labourer	4 16 0
Dressmaking (ready made):		Vyce Man	4 14 0
Stock Cutter (Male)	5 4 0	Storeman	4 17 0
Stock Cutter (Female)	2 17 9	Others	4 7 0
Skirt Hand	2 11 1	Saddlery and Leather Working—	
Coat, Bodice, etc. Hand ...	2 11 1	Journeyman	5 11 0
Machinist	2 11 1	Females:	
White Work—		Hand Stitching	5 7 9
Corset Maker	2 14 9	Others	2 15 9
Cutter (Female)	2 17 9		
Washer, Starcher, and Ironer ...	2 9 9	SHIPBUILDING, ETC.	Per hour.
Machinist	2 9 9	Shipwrights and Boatbuilders ...	0 2 10½
Tailoring—			
Males:		FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.	
Cutters	6 6 6	Furniture Making—	Per week.
Foremen	5 16 6	Cabinet-maker, Wood Carver, Wood Turner, Leadlighter, Shaper and Upholsterer	5 11 0
Trimmers, Fitters, Tailors, Machinists and Pressers	5 6 6	French Polisher, Glass Beveller, Wire-Mattress Maker and Wicker Worker	5 8 0
All others	5 0 3	Mattress Maker	5 5 0
Females:		Picture Frame Maker	5 2 0
Cutters	5 12 5	Labourer	4 7 0
Trimmers, Fitters, and Pressers	5 2 5		to
Machinists	3 4 11		4 10 0
Body and Dress Coat Hands ...	5 2 5		
All other Coat Hands	3 4 11		
Trouser Hands	2 16 11		
Vest and Skirt Hands	2 15 6½	DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.	
Dyeing and Cleaning—		Superphosphate Works—	Per day.
Males	4 12 0	Phosphate Rock Section ...	0 15 3
Females	3 1 6		to
Waterproof Garments—		Sulphur Section	0 16 3
Males:			to
Dippers and Proofer	5 4 0		0 17 9
Cutters	5 4 0	Superphosphate Section ...	0 15 3
Females:			to
Makers	3 1 1		0 16 9
Machinists	2 11 3	Sulphuric Acid Chamber Section	0 15 9
Others	to		to
Rope and Cordage—	2 12 9	Acid and Chemical Manufacturing Plant Section	0 16 9
Rope Maker	2 9 9		to
Assistant	5 2 0	Mixed Manure Plant	0 15 3
Other (Adult)	4 12 0		to
Female (adult)	4 7 0		0 16 9
Bag, Sack, and Textile Workers—	2 7 0	General Section	0 15 3
Floor Hands (Females)	2 9 0		to
Machinists and Hand Cutters (Females)	2 9 0		0 17 3
Factory Hands (Male)	4 17 0		
		SCIENTIFIC APPLIANCES.	
BOOKS, PAPER, AND PRINTING.		Optical Instruments—	Per week.
Cardboard Box and Carton-making—		Optical Mechanic	4 16 0
Guillotine, Carton Cloth, or Paper Cutters	4 19 6		
Carton Setters	4 19 6	WATCHES, JEWELLERY, ETC.	
Rotary Cutters or Scorers	4 18 0	Jewellers and Allied Trades—	
Storemen or Packers	4 4 0	Watchmakers and Clockmakers ...	5 12 0
Females	2 7 6	Jewellers	5 11 0
Printing (Newspapers)—		Enamellers and Metal Badge Makers	5 7 0
Linotype Operators:		Females (Adult)	2 19 5
Night	8 13 0		
Day	7 18 0	LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.	
Linotype Mechanics—		Electric Light Works (b)—	Per day.
Night	7 7 0	Turbine Driver	0 19 10
Day	6 12 0	Auxiliary Plant Attendant	0 19 0
Flat-bed Machinists		Leading Fireman	0 19 3
Night	7 12 0	Fireman, Greaser	0 18 2
Day	6 17 0	Boiler Cleaner	0 17 4
General Hands—		Engine or Plant Cleaner	0 16 11
Night	6 12 0	Gas Works—	Per week.
Day	5 17 0	Retort Operator	5 4 0
			to
			5 13 0

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No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages established under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations up to 31st March, 1930—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
LIGHT, HEAT, AND POWER—contd.		MISCELLANEOUS—contd.	
Gas Works— <i>continued</i>	Per week	Carters and Drivers— <i>contd.</i>	
Gas Meter Repairer	£ s. d.	Horse Driver (over 5 horses) 6d. per day	Per week.
Stove Fitter and Repairer	5 11 0	extra per horse	£ s. d.
Mainlayer or Caulker	5 3 0	Stableman	4 15 6
Men engaged on Coal, Coke, or Tar	4 19 0	Motor Wagon Driver:	
Men emptying or filling purifier	4 10 0	25 cwt. or less	5 1 6
Men filling casks, etc. with tar	4 13 0	26 cwt. to 3 tons	5 5 6
Stove Assemblers	4 13 0	Over 3 tons	5 9 6
Labourers	4 16 0	Loaders, Yardmen, Horse and Motor	4 14 6
	4 7 0	Drivers' Assistants	
RUBBER GOODS AND LEATHERWARE.		Passenger-Carrying—	
Rubber Factories—		Taxi-car Drivers	4 18 6
Adult Male Workers	4 16 0	Char-a-banc Drivers	5 2 0
		All Others	4 7 0
MISCELLANEOUS.		Cemetery Employees—	
Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—	Per 100	Grave Digger	4 17 0
Shearer (no ratios)	2 0 0		to
	Per week.	Gardener's Labourer	5 0 0
Shearing Hand (with keep)	4 6 0	Labourer	4 17 0
Shed Hand (without keep)	5 16 6		4 11 0
Shearing Cook (with keep)	4 13 6	Cleaning, etc.—	
Attendance and Service—		Cleaner (Male)	4 10 0
Barmen, Barmaids (without Board and	5 7 0	Caretaker (Male)	5 11 6
Lodging)			Per hour.
Hotels and Coffee Palaces (with Board and		Cleaner (Female)	0 1 9
Lodging)—			Per week.
Cooks (Male)	3 6 11	Lift Attendant	4 7 0
	to	Window Cleaner (Male)	4 17 0
Cooks (Female)	4 9 11		
	2 6 6	Clerical—	
Waiter	3 7 6	Wholesale Houses:	
Night Porter	3 5 11	Clerk (Male)	4 17 6
Hotel Porter	3 6 11		to
Hotel Porter	3 1 11	Clerk (Female)	5 2 0
Waitress and other female Workers ...	1 17 9		3 3 9
Restaurants (with Board and Lodging)—	Per week.	Retail Houses—	
	3 7 2	Clerk (Male)	4 17 0
Cooks (Male)	4 12 2	Clerk (Female)	2 18 9
	to		
Cooks (Female)	2 0 6	Diving (Marine) and Tending—	Per day.
	to	Divers (when diving)	1 10 0
Waiter	3 1 6		Per week.
Other Male Workers	3 6 2	Divers (when not diving)	5 3 7
Waitress	3 1 11		Per day.
Other Female Workers	1 15 0	Tenders (when tending)	0 17 10
Counter Hand	1 13 0		Per week.
Clubs (without Board and Lodging)—	1 19 6	Tenders (when not tending)	4 6 4
	4 15 0		
Cooks (Male)	5 18 0	Dock, River, and Harbour Works—	
	3 14 0	Pile Driving:	
Cooks (Female)	to	Man in Charge	5 3 0
Barman	4 15 0		4 11 0
Waiter	5 2 0	Others	to
Kitchenman, Pantryman, and Steward	4 14 0		4 14 0
Waitress and other female Workers ...	4 10 0	Case Driving—	
Butchering and Slaughtering—	3 5 3	Leading Hand	4 17 0
Shop Section:		Assistants	4 11 0
Order Cart Hand	4 12 0	Drilling and Blasting Plant:	
	to	Foreman	6 7 0
General Butcher	5 7 0	Leading Hand	5 9 0
Cutting Cart Hand	5 7 0		4 8 0
Smallgoodsman	5 7 0	Others	to
First Shopman	5 7 0		4 14 0
Beef Carters' Section:	5 12 0	Quarry Workers	4 11 0
Beef Carters—Horse and Cart			to
Motors (30 cwt.)	4 17 0		5 0 0
Motors (over 30 cwt.)	5 2 0		4 8 0
	5 7 0	Survey Hands	to
Abattoirs Section:			4 14 0
Labourer	4 12 0	Concrete Pile-driving Plants:	
Slaughterman's Labourer	4 17 0	Man in Charge	5 9 0
Beef Lumpers and Tallowman	4 17 0	Topman	5 0 0
Slaughterman	5 14 6	Machine Man	4 17 0
Building Contractors—		Concrete Pile Construction:	
Plasterer	6 2 6	Fitter's Assistant	4 14 0
	Per day.	Men employed hand-ramping hot	5 4 0
Bricklayer	1 5 0	bitumastic macadam	
	Per hour.	Miscellaneous:	
	0 2 2	Various classes of employees ...	4 5 0
Labourer	to		5 15 0
	0 2 4	Dredge Employees—	
Carters and Drivers—	Per week.	Ladderman	5 4 0
Horse Driver (1 horse)	4 16 6	Quartermaster, Deckhands	4 15 9
	5 1 6	Winchman (Leading)	5 1 0
Horse Driver (2 to 5 horses)	to	Winchman (Other)	4 18 0
	5 4 6	Greaser	5 4 0
		Fireman	4 18 0

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages established under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations up to 31st March, 1930—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS—contd.		MISCELLANEOUS—contd.	
Engine Driving—	Per week.	Mining (Gold) contd.—	per week.
Government (excluding Railways):	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Loco. Driver (Harbour Works) ...	5 11 0	Stationary Steam Engine-drivers	0 16 6
Pile Driver ...	5 8 0		to
Stationary Steam (2nd Class Certificate)	5 8 0	Fireman—Leading ...	0 17 6
Stationary Steam (3rd Class Certificate)	4 19 0	Fireman—Steam ...	0 16 4
Producer Gas Engine ...	5 5 0	Greasers, Cleaners ...	0 15 4
Steam Crane Drivers:		Trimmer ...	0 14 10
25 tons and over ...	5 5 0	Boiler Cleaners ...	0 16 10
Under 25 tons ...	4 19 0	Municipal Employees (Perth)—	
Main Roads Board:		Sanitary Employees:	
Steam Roller Drivers ...	6 2 0	Rubbish Tipmen ...	4 13 0
Internal Combustion Rollers:		Rubbish and Dust Carters ...	4 16 0
10 tons and over ...	6 2 0	Sanitary pan Removers, Washers,	
Under 10 tons ...	5 17 0	Stage Hands, Trenchmen and offal	
Motor Graders ...	5 17 0	Carters ...	5 5 0
Fire Brigade Employees—		Attendants latrines ...	4 10 0
Station Keeper ...	5 17 0	Motor Lorry Drivers ...	5 18 0
Senior Firemen ...	5 12 0		4 15 0
1st Class Firemen ...	5 7 0	Horse-drivers ...	to
2nd Class Firemen ...	5 2 0		5 1 0
3rd Class Firemen ...	4 17 0		4 19 0
Hairstressing—		Stablemen ...	to
Hairstresser (Male) ...	5 7 0		5 3 0
Hairstresser (Female) ...	3 8 7		5 0 0
Hospital Employees (Coastal)—		Motor Lorry Drivers ...	to
Head Orderly ...	5 3 2		5 10 0
Other, Orderlies ...	4 7 0		4 7 0
Laundry Staff—		Sweepers (Adults) ...	to
Washhouse-man ...	4 12 2		4 9 0
Washhouse-woman ...	3 10 2	Sweepers (Boys) ...	2 16 4
Ironers ...	3 4 2		4 10 0
Others (Adults) ...	2 18 8	Drainage Worker ...	to
Kitchen Staff (with Board and Lodging):			5 2 0
	2 6 5	Musicians—	
Cooks ...	3 to 5	General Theatrical Engagements:	
Kitchenmaid, Scullerymaid ...	1 12 0	Six performances and 1 rehearsal ...	5 11 0
General Staff (Female) ...	1 12 0	Twelve performances and 1 rehearsal	8 11 0
Kitchenman ...	3 4 3	Picture Shows:	
Laundry Employees(b)—	Per day.	Six performances and 1 rehearsal ...	5 2 0
Washhouse-man ...	0 15 10½	Twelve performances ...	8 5 0
Washhouse-woman ...	0 11 1½	Stage Band:	
Ironers, etc. ...	0 10 11½	Six performances ...	3 10 0
Mining (Coal)—	Per shift.	Painters and Decorators(b)—	Per hour.
Fitters, Turners, Blacksmiths, Elec-	1 1 0	Glaziers ...	0 2 7½
tricians, and Skipbuilders		Signwriters ...	0 2 9
Tool Sharpeners ...	1 0 0	Painters ...	0 2 9
Blacksmith's Strikers ...	0 19 0	Photographic Employees—	Per week.
Fitter's Labourers ...	0 18 0	Male (Adult) ...	4 5 0
The above rates were based on the price of		Female (Adult) ...	2 10 0
coal, which, when rates were fixed was		Quarrymen—	
19s. per ton at pit's mouth. For every		Junipermen ...	4 15 9
1d. increase or decrease on the above		Crusher Feeders ...	5 1 6
price, wages are increased or decreased		Hammer and Drillmen ...	4 15 9
by 1d. per shift.		Powder Monkeys ...	5 4 0
Machine Men ...	1 3 9	Spallers ...	4 18 6
	0 18 3	Railways, Government (b)—	Per day.
Wheelers ...	to	Engine-Drivers ...	1 0 2
	0 18 9		1 4 2
Haulage Engine Drivers ...	1 0 3	Firemen ...	0 17 8
Engine Drivers (Shakers) ...	1 1 0		to
Firemen ...	0 18 11		1 0 2
Mining (Gold)—		Guard ...	0 18 7
General:			to
Rock Drill Men ...	0 16 6		1 0 2
	to	Porter ...	0 15 10
	0 17 8		to
	0 15 8		0 17 2
Hand Miners ...	to		0 16 11
	0 16 10	Shunter ...	to
Shaft Timber Men ...	0 17 8		0 19 8
Mullockers, Truckers, Shovelers	0 14 10		0 16 4
General Labourers (Surface) ...	0 14 4	Signalsman ...	to
	to		0 19 1
Others ...	0 16 10	Cleaner (Adult) ...	4 11 0
Engineering:	Per week.	Salesmen (Wholesale)—(b)	
Driller, Screwer, Motor Attendant ...	4 17 0	Male ...	4 5 0
Electrical Wireman, Lineman ...	5 3 0	Female ...	2 15 0
Pipe-fitter ...	5 0 0	Shop Assistant—	
Coppersmith, Blacksmith, Turner,	5 9 0	Hardware, Furniture and Carpet Depart-	
Fitter, etc. ...		ments or Shops: Male ...	4 19 6
Pattern-maker ...	5 18 0	Female ...	3 0 3
Engine-driving, etc.: ...	Per shift.	Grocery Departments or Shops—	
	0 18 0	Male ...	4 19 6
Winding Engine-driver ...	to	Female ...	3 10 3
	0 19 0	Manchester, Dress and Silk Departments	
Winch-driver ...	0 17 0	or Shops:	
	to	Male ...	4 19 6
Loco Engine-driver ...	0 17 6	Female ...	3 3 9

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No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages established under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations up to 31st March, 1930—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS—contd.		MISCELLANEOUS—contd.	
Shop Assistant—contd.	Per week. £ s. d.	Railways—contd.	Per week. £ s. d.
All other Departments and Shops:		Meter Reader	5 5 0
Male	4 19 6	Chainman	5 0 0
Female	2 15 3		
Storemen, Despatch Hands and Packers	4 19 6	Waterside Workers—	Per hour.
Canvasser	5 4 0	Lumper (General Cargo)	0 3 0½
Cleaners and door Porters	4 14 6	Lumper (Wheat)	0 3 3½
Lift Attendants	4 9 6	Wine and Spirit Warehouse Employees—	Per week.
Tramways—		Cellarman	5 8 6
Conductors, Motormen and Pitmen ...	4 19 0	Storeman	4 19 0
Car Starter	5 2 0	Others	4 17 0
Platelayer	4 17 0		
Fettler and Track Repairer	4 13 0	Wool Stores—	
Storeman	5 5 0	Head Classifier	5 19 0
Motor Car and Lorry Drivers:		Assistant Classifier	5 11 0
Not exceeding 25 cwt.	5 0 0		5 4 0
Exceeding 25 cwt. up to 5 tons ...	5 2 6	Assistant Storeman	to
Ganger	5 12 0		5 7 0
	6 4 0	Skin Sorter	4 19 0
		Others	4 15 0

XV.—METEOROLOGICAL STATISTICS.

(Supplied by Commonwealth Meteorologist)

No. 42.—Notes on the Rainfall of Western Australia during the months of January, February, and March, 1930.

January.—This month, as a rule, is regarded as a good rainfall month only in the Kimberleys, but valuable rains often visit the North-West, and sometimes the Gascoyne and Goldfields, during the period.

The month under review (January, 1930), was, however, an exception in almost every respect. Only two rainstorms visited the Kimberleys. One lasted from the 9th to 14th, while the other occurred a few days later. The only excess, which was recorded at Hall's Creek, and amounted to 2.10 inches, was mainly due to the former. Fitzroy Crossing was only 78 points below the normal, but the defects at other Kimberley stations ranged from 2.81 inches at Turkey Creek to 6.28 inches at Wyndham.

The earlier of the above-mentioned rainstorms reached Marble Bar, where half-an-inch was measured on the 11th.

Over the remainder of the State the gaugings were negligible, and in only two instances was 10 points exceeded. Defects from normal were, of course, general, with the exception of the fall at Hall's Creek above-mentioned.

Taken as a whole, the month ranked amongst the driest Januaries on record.

February.—The rainfall for the month was almost entirely the outcome of a disturbance of willy-willy type. This system first appeared on the Queensland Coast on 19th January, and, after a very complicated history, eventually reached North Australia early in February. On the 5th its rains began to affect the East Kimberley, but the system continued to move erratically, and, although useful thunderstorms continued, it was not until the 13th, when the centre lay close to Wyndham, that rains became general and persistent in the Kimberley country. Travelling West and South-Westward, and bringing strong gales in its train, the storm crossed the North-West Coast near La Grange Bay on the 18th. Its rains now spread to the inland North-West, and the Goldfields, while patchy falls extended Westward to the Eastern agricultural country. The bulk of the rain, however, fell over the unoccupied country to the East of the Goldfields, and only where this is crossed by the Great Western Railway was the full intensity of the disturbance felt, extensive washaways occurring in the neighbourhood of Forrest, on the 19th, while flood waters still submerged the line at the end of the month. The official rainfall at that point is not available, but at Eucla, some 70 miles South-Eastward, on the coast, 5½ inches fell in 48 hours.

Another series of patchy thunderstorms affected various parts of the country between the 24th and 26th, but only three or four isolated stations received usefull falls.

Taking the month as a whole, the result in the Kimberley districts were most gratifying. Although somewhat less than average rainfall was recorded at Turkey Creek and Fitzroy Crossing, Derby, on the other hand, exceeded the normal fall by over 8 inches, and Wyndham by over 7 inches. South of that region the State was divided sharply into Eastern and Western halves, the former showing heavy excesses in rainfall, and the latter being greatly in defect, with the exception of four isolated localities. Included in the over average area was the country lying between Marble Bar and Mundiwindi, one or two outlying Goldfield towns (Wiluna and Laverton), and the country along the Great Western Railway from Karonie Eastward. The willy-willy rain extended down the North-West coast as far as De Grey station, and then swept inland. None of the places West of the Shaw River appears to have been affected except by trivial showers.

March.—The month's rainfall may be divided into two sections—rain that fell South of the Tropics between March 5th and March 11th, and the development of a Cocos Island disturbance which gradually embraced the North-West division, bringing heavy rains to the coastal districts and useful registrations to the inland portion of that division and through the Gascoyne. Many of the Eastern and South-Eastern agricultural stations also benefited considerably from this disturbance. In a number of agricultural and pastoral localities very valuable aggregate falls were noted, but there were, on the other hand, a number of stations where the falls were too light to do much good.

On the whole both wheat growing and stock raising areas have benefited greatly during the month, both in the way of water supply and in the softening of the ground for the plough. Since the rains fell on warm soil, an abundant growth of pasturage should result, especially if it is followed up by another downpour.

Throughout the East Kimberleys the totals were heavily in defect, but in the West the registrations, although still below the average, were much heavier.

Another very dry month was experienced at all West and South-West coastal stations.

No. 43.—Abstract of Meteorological Observations.

(a) At Perth (Latitude, 31° 57' S. Altitude above mean sea-level, 197 feet. Longitude, 115° 51' E.)

1930.	Barometer.*			Shade Temperature.								Evaporation.		Rainfall.				
	Mean, 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.	Highest.	Lowest	Mean Maximum.	Mean Minimum.	Maximum on any one day.	Minimum on any one day.	Highest previous record since 1897.		Lowest previous record since 1897.		Inches.	Aver., 31 yrs., inches.	Total.		Average for 54 years.		
								Max.	Date.	Min.	Date.			Inches.	Days.		Inches.	Days.
Jan. ...	29.93	30.14	29.68	86	63	108	54	107	1921	50	1921	10.77	10.42	0.05	2	0.35	3	
Feb. ...	.94	.13	.69	84	63	102	53	107	1915	48	1902	8.39	8.57	0.12	3	.44	3
Mar. ...	.99	.24	.68	85	66	99	55	106	1914	46	1903	7.73	7.60	0.32	5	.78	5
Apl.	100	1910	39	1914	...	4.73	...	...	1.62	7	
May	90	1907	34	1914	...	2.75	...	...	5.09	14	
June	82	1914	35	1920	...	1.77	...	...	6.96	17	
July	76	1921	34	1916	...	1.75	...	...	6.64	17	
Aug.	81	1914	35	1908	...	2.36	...	...	5.73	18	
Sept.	91	1918	39	1913	...	3.34	...	...	3.44	15	
Oct.	93	1906	41	1917	...	5.25	...	...	2.20	12	
Nov.	105	1913	42	1904	...	7.62	...	...	0.80	6	
Dec.	108	1904	48	1910	...	9.81	...	...	0.56	4	
Mean	
Extreme	108	1904 1921	34	1914 1916	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	65.97	...	...	34.61	121	

* In addition to other corrections further correction for standard gravity has been applied.

(b) Mean Annual Rainfall in Meteorological Land Divisions in Western Australia during 1929, with averages to end of 1928.

Land Divisions.	Rainfall during 1929.		Average, previous years.		Period of Observation of Normal.	
	Range.	Mean.	Range of Means.	Average.	Range.	Average.
	inches.	inches.	inches.	inches.	years.	years.
North Kimberley...	22.36 to 31.15	26.72	27.07 to 36.65	32.08	15 to 42	25
East Kimberley ...	4.45 „ 25.63	12.72	17.73 „ 31.69	23.97	15 „ 38	29
West Kimberley ...	8.93 „ 36.04	16.33	14.07 „ 34.65	24.99	14 „ 43	28
De Grey ...	7.56 „ 17.58	13.87	10.50 „ 15.36	12.59	23 „ 42	32
Fortescue ...	7.49 „ 22.79	14.45	8.24 „ 15.39	10.88	16 „ 43	30
West Gascoyne ...	5.91 „ 13.10	9.41	8.12 „ 13.53	9.61	21 „ 46	33
East Gascoyne ...	7.13 „ 13.59	10.47	8.07 „ 11.75	9.43	17 „ 40	28
South West—						
North Coastal ...	10.28 „ 22.05	15.54	11.20 „ 20.36	15.96	11 „ 51	25
Central Coastal ...	19.00 „ 39.66	31.01	21.51 „ 57.85	34.77	16 „ 53	36
South Coastal ...	20.95 „ 59.37	36.66	21.43 „ 60.83	38.41	15 „ 52	31
Central North ...	6.02 „ 20.11	13.66	9.10 „ 21.37	13.67	15 „ 49	24
Central South ...	13.58 „ 26.26	17.16	12.16 „ 29.11	17.50	13 „ 52	27
North-East ...	3.65 „ 8.05	5.47	7.70 „ 9.66	8.85	16 „ 30	20
South-East ...	5.81 „ 12.40	8.67	8.31 „ 11.06	9.64	21 „ 39	29
Eucla ...	4.69 „ 8.89	7.86	8.71 „ 11.85	10.04	18 „ 51	33

XVI.—PARLIAMENTARY ROLLS.

No. 44.—Legislative Assembly, Number on Rolls, 7th February, 1930, and General Election,
26th March, 1927.

District.	Net Enrolment.			District.	Net Enrolment.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.
Albany	2,112	1,945	4,057	Mount Marshall ...	3,214	1,681	4,895
Avon	2,604	1,634	4,238	Murchison	1,264	454	1,718
Beverley	2,586	1,646	4,232	Murray-Wellington ...	2,217	1,658	3,875
Boulder	1,291	1,222	2,513	Nedlands	3,850	3,644	7,494
Brown-Hill Ivanhoe	1,179	892	2,071	Nelson	3,050	1,982	5,032
Bunbury	2,059	2,019	4,078	Northam	2,499	2,118	4,617
Canning	3,781	4,272	8,053	Perth	4,161	3,717	7,878
Claremont	2,888	3,574	6,462	Perth, East	3,315	3,711	7,026
Collie	2,183	1,817	4,000	Perth, North	2,647	3,445	6,092
Forrest	2,711	1,748	4,594	Perth, West	2,907	3,759	6,666
Fremantle	4,040	3,751	7,791	Pilbara	416	89	505
Fremantle, North-East	3,375	4,072	7,447	Pingelly	2,542	1,548	4,090
Fremantle, South ...	3,629	3,754	7,383	Roebourne	464	148	612
Geraldton	1,051	861	1,912	Subiaco	3,159	3,942	7,101
Gouldton	2,253	1,760	4,013	Sussex	2,018	1,693	3,711
Greenough	3,809	2,009	5,818	Swan	2,040	1,992	4,032
Guildford-Midland ...	3,014	3,105	6,119	Toodyay	1,916	1,522	3,438
Hannans	839	828	1,667	Victoria Park	3,333	3,694	7,027
Irwin-Moore	2,275	1,276	3,551	Wagin	2,791	1,843	4,634
Kalgoorlie	1,608	1,343	2,951	Williams-Narrogin ...	1,970	1,486	3,456
Kanowna	1,291	530	1,821	Yilgarn-Coolgardie ...	1,937	861	2,798
Katanning	2,919	2,209	5,128	York	1,802	1,297	3,099
Kimberley	775	222	997	Total	122,576	107,500	230,076
Leederville	4,383	5,063	9,446	ELECTION—26-3-1927.			
Maylands	3,151	3,614	6,765	Names on Roll	113,072	97,877	210,949
Middle Swan	3,485	3,411	6,896	In contested Districts	102,679	91,408	194,087
Mount Hawthorn ...	2,360	2,544	4,904	Votes recorded	76,307	66,199	*142,506
Mt. Magnet—							
Sub-District Mt.							
Leonora	683	310	993				
Sub-District Mt.							
Magnet	730	285	1,015				

* Including 2,000 informal votes.

No. 45.—Legislative Council, Net Enrolment, 10th May, 1930, and Biennial Elections,
12th May, 1928.

Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Central	4,565	935	5,500	South-West	5,398	1,368	6,766
East	8,578	1,989	10,567	West	5,650	2,363	8,013
Metropolitan	4,441	2,307	6,748	Total	54,651	18,927	73,578
Metropolitan-Suburban	14,159	6,779	20,938				
North	728	120	848				
North-East	2,135	954	3,089				
South	3,122	734	3,856				
South-East	5,875	1,378	7,253				
				Election—12-5-28.			
				Names on Roll	54,822	19,076	73,898
				In contested Provinces	47,849	17,437	65,286
				Votes recorded	24,877	8,151	*33,028

* Including 319 informal votes.

XVII.—PROHIBITION POLL, 4th April, 1925.

No. 46.—Results for the whole State of the Prohibition Poll taken under the provisions of
"The Licensing Act, 1911."

Electors in State.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Valid Votes.	For Prohibition.	Against Prohibition.	Total.
Enrolled 4th April, 1925	106,535	93,677	200,212	} Recorded ...	41,362	77,113	118,475
Votes recorded	66,359	52,774	119,133*				

* Including 658 informal votes.

XVIII.—CENSUS OF 4th APRIL, 1921.

No. 47.—Population and Dwellings in Perth and Suburbs.

Local Government Area.*	Population.			Dwellings.			
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Occupied.	Un-occupied.	Being Built.	Total.
Bayswater ... RD (Part)	1,134	1,171	2,305	574	28	3	605
Belmont Park ... RD	1,017	849	1,866	434	22	...	456
Claremont ... M	2,530	2,981	5,511	1,128	12	2	1,142
Claremont ... RD	2,062	1,495	3,557	676	42	10	728
Cottesloe ... M	2,220	2,813	5,033	1,027	45	8	1,080
Cottesloe Beach ... RD	1,546	1,675	3,221	702	20	3	725
Fremantle ... M	8,858	8,708	17,566	3,358	74	5	3,437
Fremantle, East ... M	2,145	2,278	4,423	935	21	15	971
Fremantle, North ... M	1,747	1,798	3,545	708	25	...	733
Guildford ... M	943	933	1,876	385	18	1	404
Guildford, West † RD (Part)	1,295	1,375	2,670	605	37	6	648
Melville ... RD (Part)	1,144	1,178	2,322	491	45	3	539
Midland Junction ... M	2,483	2,454	4,937	1,068	28	2	1,098
Peppermint Grove ... RD	433	677	1,110	209	5	...	214
Perth ... M	30,696	33,470	64,166	12,521	295	89	12,905
Perth ... RD (Part)	5,939	5,915	11,854	2,417	98	8	2,523
Perth, South ... M	1,370	1,590	2,960	667	63	5	735
Queen's Park ... RD	1,083	923	2,006	441	16	1	458
Subiaco ... M	6,292	7,355	13,647	3,028	75	38	3,141
Swan ... RD (Part)	151	147	298	64	1	...	65
Total ...	75,088	79,785	154,873	31,438	970	199	32,607

* M—Municipality; RD—Road District. † New Bassendean.

NOTE.—For population of Municipalities and Road Board Districts throughout the State, see No. 232 issue for December Quarter of 1923.

No. 48.—Summary of Results relating to Population and Dwellings.

Particulars.	4th April, 1921.				3rd April, 1911.	* Increase during ten years, 1911-1921.
	Urban.		Rural.	Whole State.	Whole State.	
	Metropolitan.	Provincial.				
Area in square miles	136.82	53.08	975,730	975,920	975,920	...
Population—						
Males	75,088	21,291	76,698	a177,278	a161,565	15,713
Females	79,785	21,280	53,400	a155,454	a120,549	34,905
Persons	154,873	42,571	130,098	a332,732	a282,114	50,618
Per square mile	1,131.95	802.02	0.13	0.34	0.29	0.05
Dwellings—						
Occupied	31,441	9,215	32,894	73,550	68,775	4,775
Unoccupied	970	520	1,784	3,274	b 3,158	b 116
Being built	199	32	58	289	b 74	b 215
Total	32,610	9,767	34,736	77,113	72,007	5,106
Per square mile	238.34	184.01	0.04	0.08	0.07	0.01
Occupied Dwellings—						
Private Houses, Tenements, and Flats	29,741	8,681	31,763	† 70,185	† 66,553	3,632
Other than private	1,700	534	1,131	3,365	2,222	1,143
Total Occupied Dwellings	31,441	9,215	32,894	73,550	68,775	4,775
Per square mile	229.80	173.61	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.01
Occupied Private Dwellings—						
Average weekly Rental Value of all Private Dwellings	18s. 9d.	13s. 1d.	9s. 6d.	13s. 10d.	10s. 7d.	3s. 3d.
Average Weekly Rental Value of Private Dwellings occupied by tenants	17s. 9d.	13s. 0d.	8s. 6d.	14s. 2d.	c 10s. 10d.	3s. 4d.
Rooms per occupied Private Dwelling	4.67	4.51	3.71	4.22	3.67	0.55
Inmates per occupied Private Dwelling	4.43	4.24	3.77	4.11	3.08	0.43
Inmates per room in occupied Private Dwelling	0.95	0.94	1.02	0.97	1.00	— 0.03

* Minus sign (—) indicates a decrease.

a Includes Migratory Population (persons on board ships, trains, etc.), which is not included in any subdivision of the State. b Incomplete owing to defective collection in certain cases. c Estimated on the basis of all private dwellings. † The numbers of occupied private dwellings in 1921 in the Urban and Rural portions of the State respectively, grouped according to the material of the outer walls, were: Stone or brick, 20,467 and 4,076; Wood, 14,769 and 14,128; Iron, 2,724 and 6,177; Calico, Canvas, Hessian, etc., 147 and 4,927; Sun-dried bricks, 67 and 1,611; all other, 248 and 844. For 1911 throughout the whole State the totals grouped under the same materials were: 18,917; 20,611; 10,109; 14,216; 1,530; 1,170. In 1921 dwellings occupied by owners numbered in the Urban and Rural districts respectively 14,100 and 18,000; by Purchasers by instalments, 6,809 and 1,889; by tenants, 16,252 and 7,654.

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